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Mrs. Louis J. Azen, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lewis, Esplanade Avenue, for a few weeks.

Miss Dora Pascal, Hutchison Street, left for Boston, Mass., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Paul Arnstein, for about six weeks.

Mrs. P. Schoenfeld, Esplanade Avenue, is visiting New Glasgow for several weeks.

A masquerade summer dance will be held at Barnett's Hotel, St. Faustin, on July 25.

Among those registered at Faber's Hotel, Lac des Iles, Ste. Marguerite, Que., were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Pesner, Miss Dora Alexrod, Miss Rose Kracower Miss Claire Knoll, Abe Gross, Jack Birnbaum, Abe Weinstein, Miss Bessie Goodman, M. Rodman, Baltimore; S. Solomon, G. Rosen, M. Raphael, S. J. Rodman, Lyon Levine, Dr. N. Enzer, Miss Pearl Gould, Geo. Miller, Louis Zwibell, Louis Morrison, Mr. Aaronson, J. Colleany, Mr. and Mrs. Peace, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colle and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bernstein, Albany, New York; Frank Littner, Max Littner, Charles Segall, Miss B. Hoffman, Miss E. Pichel, New York; Miss Goldberg, of New York; Al Heller, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Cincuks, Mr. and Mrs. Jacks and Dr. N. Friedman.

Mrs. Louis J. Azen, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and her sister, Miss Helen Lewis, Esplanade Avenue, are spending a week at Val Morin, Que.

Henry Lasker, of Springfield, Mass., past president of District Grand Lodge No. 1, Bnai Brith, and chairman of the committee on Women's Auxiliary Lodges, and Mrs. Lasker were guests of Marcus M. Sperber, chairman, council of Canadian activities of District No. 1, Bnai Brith, at the Montefiore Club and of Lionel Coviensky, deputy for Women's Auxiliary Lodges in Canada, at the Reform Club.

Mrs. Michael Greenberg, Girouard Avenue, accompanied by her little daughter, has left for Boston, to visit her sister, Mrs. Paul Arnstein, for a few days prior to going to Nantasket Beach, to spend a month.

Miss Sarah Fischer is a passenger on the Empress of France, which sailed for Canada, July 11, from England. Miss Fischer will visit her sister, Mrs. Samuel Share, in Montreal, for a short time and later accompany her to St. Adolphe de Howard. Prior to her departure from England, Miss Fischer was the guest of Evelyn, Duchess of Wellington, at Winchfield, England, and farewell parties were given for her. Among the hostesses were Lady Sassoon, Lady Sykes, Prince and Princess Reginald de Croy, of Belgium; and Madame Jeritza. Miss Fischer will sail directly for Paris after her visit to Canada.

Dr. S. M. Greenberg, formerly of Montreal, who is now practising in Baltimore, and who is connected with the Johns Hopkins Hospital, is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Greenberg, at their summer home in Upper Woodlands.

Dr. A. Maxwell Lightstone, Villeneuve Avenue West, left for New York, Washington, Philadelphia and other cities, returning home about August 1.

The Barnett Hotel, St. Faustin, Que., will hold a masquerade July 25.

The following guests are at the Barnett Hotel: L. E. Nickerson, Mr. Boisley, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. B. Roter, M. Goldfeld, Harry Darabaner, H. C. Bloomberg, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rudner and daughter, G. Belkin, Louis Marcus, Joe Rubin, Irving Freedman, J. Henderson, Miss Ruth Vineberg, Mr. and Mrs. I. Bloomer and family, Mr. Weiner, S. J. Rodman, Dr. H. Enzer, M. Rodman, Miss Bernice Epstein, Miss Mary Leitman, Miss Celia Wener, Miss Bertha Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. M. Zahler and family; Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and family; Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Tessler and family; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mendell, all of Montreal. Out-of-town guests: Mrs. N. Lockskin, of Youngstown, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pollack and family; and Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz and family, of Sherbrooke, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Golick, Van Horne Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Lidsky, Laval Avenue, motored to Washington, D.C., to attend the convention of the Maccabees, July 16, and on the way back will spend a couple of weeks in Philadelphia, Atlantic City, New York and other points.

Morrie Singer, Nick Grobstein, Harold and Jason Neumann are guests at Round Lake House, Weir.

The following guests are at the Trout Lake Hotel: Miss J. Berman, Mrs. J. Garmaise and family, Wiseman Avenue, Outremont; P. Dolgy and family, Atwater Avenue, Montreal; Mrs. S. Fenster and family, Bernard Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. C. Silverman, Edward Charles Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Max Friedman, Joyce Avenue, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. S. Wittes and family, Champagneur Avenue; A. Lazare, Hutchison Street; Mr. and Mrs. Z. Rul and family; Mr. Gistrick, Henri Julien Street; M. Goldberg, Laval Avenue; Mrs. I. B. Cohen, Villeneuve Avenue West; E. Goldwater, Bellevue Avenue; J. Leavitt, Park Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. William Rivenovich, Park Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Siris, Bloomfield Avenue, Outremont; James Hogal, Bloomfield Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Kastner and family, Mount Royal Avenue West; Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bodinsky and family, Montreal; Mrs. H. B. Miller and daughter, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. H. Ciment, Esplanade Avenue; Miss I. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. S. Greenford and son, Pine Avenue West; Miss Esther Saxe, St. Joseph Boulevard; Miss Lena Gordon, Jeanne Mance Street; Mrs. M. Tipograph and daughter, E. Garmaise, Mrs. I. Rosenzweig and family; Miss Tamara Khonovsky, Miss F. Futterman, Miss D. Futterman, Mrs. T. Scheff, Mrs. L. Orensten, Rose Edinger, J. B. Becker, Mrs. E. Leiboff, Miss E. Rose, Miss I. Rabinovitz, Brooklyn, New York; M. Perlmutter, St. Joseph Boulevard West; Mr. and Mrs. S. Kalman, Mance Street;

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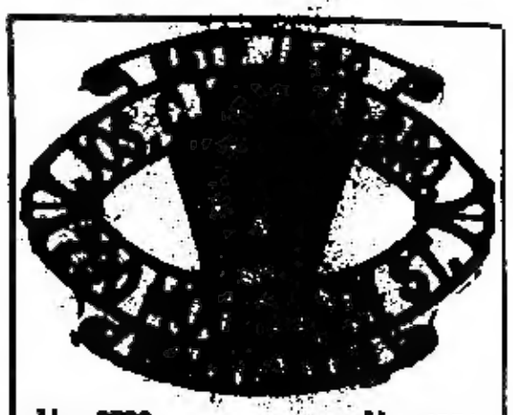

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A. Rudloph and son, Arthur, Strathcona Avenue, who have been touring the continent, sailed on the Montclaire, and are expected home on Saturday, July 25.

Mrs. Harry Raginsky is spending a few days at Val Morin.

Ben Levinson, Strathcona Avenue, has returned from a trip to the coast.

Miss Fannie Fram, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is visiting Miss Celia Klein, St. Viateur Street West.

Miss Betty Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Meth and Miss Meth, of Cleveland, were the guests of Mrs. J. N. Neumann, Cote St. Antoine Road, while passing through Montreal last Thursday.

Mrs. P. Presner and daughter, Violet, Mrs. A. Adilman and Miss Rita Druxerman are leaving on a motor trip to Atlantic City. They will stop at Camp Wi-Co-Su-Ta, to visit Mrs. Presner's daughter, Helen, before going to Old Orchard Beach for about a month.

Phil Fobel, of Cleveland, and Moe Fobel, of Buffalo, were the guests of Mrs. J. N. Neumann, Cote St. Antoine Road.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Ripstein, Northcliffe Avenue, left on Friday, July 17, for Camp Wi-Co-Su-Ta, to visit their daughter, Yette.

Miss Ethel Pearson, Esplanade Avenue, went away, Friday, July 17, to spend two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Moe Segal, at Chambly Basin.

Miss Sara Levikoff, Querbes Avenue, and Bertha Simand, Durocher Avenue, are spending a few weeks at Chateau Quinte, Ste. Marguerite.

Miss Lena Ashkaloney, Melrose Avenue, is at Round Lake House, Weir, for a week.

Miss Fannie Ratner and Dr. Ben Ratner, Marlowe Avenue, left on Friday for a boat trip on the Saguenay River.

Miss Bertha Neumann, Cote St. Antoine Road, is spending a week at Round Lake House, Weir.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Levine entertained at a reception and dance on Tuesday, July 1, 1925, at their home on Clarke Street, in honour of their nephew, Philip M. Florence, of Los Angeles. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. Budnick, Miss Rose Budnick, B. Budnick, Mr. and Mrs. J. Freedman, Miss Julia Freedman, A. Freedman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Burko, Mrs. Y. Friefeld, Miss Bessie Madelevsky, I. H. Weinstein, Miss Sadye Taylor, Dr. J. Wilgar, Percival A. Starke, M. K. Besner, Misses Katie and Sarah Eissen.

Philip M. Florence, of Los Angeles, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Levine, Clarke Street, has returned.

Mrs. A. Kramer, Tupper Street, left on Monday, July 20, for the Laurentian Mountains, where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. L. Rosenstone, Sherbrooke Street West, is spending three weeks in the Laurentian Mountains.

Miss Marjorie Neumann, Cote St. Antoine Road, entertained informally on Wednesday, July 15. Others present were Misses Jean Lewis, Esther Bennett, Edith Ziff, Ruth Lefkowitz, Betty Miller, Libbie Miller, Elaine Neumann; Abe Bixby, Arthur Frieberg, Ernie Seaberg, Eddie Cantor, all of Boston; M. Shridman, Irwin Liverman, Sam Shenkman, Joe Rosenbaum, Al Levine, Mannie Miller, of New York; Milton Rosenfeld and Jason Neumann.

Miss Louise de Sola, who has been travelling in England for some time, left there recently to join Miss Nina Workman in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gallant, Philadelphia, Pa., entertained at the roof garden, Ritz Carlton Hotel. The party included Miss Ruth Brotman, Ned Gallant, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Greenberg, Washington, D.C.; and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gallant. The Gallants were registered at the Ritz Carlton Hotel while in the city and returned to Philadelphia via the White Mountains, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wener, Oxford Avenue, are spending the summer at Lawrence, L.I., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Selig Roggen.

Miss Ruth Brotman has returned from a short motor trip through the White Mountains, New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cooperman and Miss Lottie Cooperman are summering at Val David, P.Q.

Mrs. L. Mazur and family are at Val David.

Miss Bee Cooperman spent the week-end at Val David, accompanied by Miss Freeda Cohen as her guest.

Miss Fay Mazur spent the week-end at Val David.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Hirsch, Marlowe Avenue, have returned from a motor trip to Paradox Lake in the Adirondacks.

Jos. Levinson, Jr., Drummond Street, left by motor for Poland Springs, Me.

Mrs. Philip Cohen, 1728 Hutchison Street, is spending some time at Ste. Agathe.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kaplan and family, Hutchison Street, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Cohen and family, Hutchison Street, are summering at Chateau Quinte, St. Marguerite.

Mrs. Lewis Fraid, Kitchener Avenue, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. William Heillig, Atwater Avenue, have left for Old Orchard Beach.

J. I. Broidy, Northcliffe Avenue, left for Cape Tormentine, N.B.

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Miss Shirley Silver, of New York, and Miss Fay Rogers spent Sunday at Shawbridge.

Miss Fannie Cohen, of New York, who spent two weeks as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cohen, 1728 Hutchison Street, has returned home.

Miss Liba Kahan, of Brooklyn, N.Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cohen, 1728 Hutchison Street, at Montreal and Ste. Agathe.

Misses Sadyebel and Myra Marks Chorlton, Souvenir Avenue, have returned from San Francisco.

Miss Fay Rogers gave a tea and bridge in honour of Miss Shirley Silver, of New York.

Mrs. N. Dorfman and family have taken a cottage at Shawbridge for the summer.

Mrs. L. Hershorn and Misses Bessie and Jean Hershorn, Mance Street, have left to spend the rest of the summer at Ivry.

Miss Fannie Heillig, Hutchison Street, has returned from a short stay in Old Orchard.

Mrs. B. Siblin, Esplanade Avenue, entertained informally in honour of Miss Shirley Silver, of New York.

Mrs. A. Poyanner is leaving shortly for Mount Clemens.

Miss Anne Glazer is in Toronto for two weeks.

Mrs. B. Rubin and son, Billy, Vendome Avenue, are spending several weeks at Wenerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rhoade and daughters, Rebecca and Cecila, of Washington, D.C., are the guests of Miss Dorothy Pass, Clarke Street. She has just returned from Washington, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rhoade for the past three months.

Phillip Popliger sailed on the S.S. "Doric" on July 18 for Europe, where he will spend about six weeks.

Mrs. M. Frank and children, Grosvenor Avenue, have left to spend a few weeks at Ivry Nord.

Mrs. Harry A. Singer and daughter left for New York and Rockaway Beach and will be there for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenef and family, of Ottawa motored in to be with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldberg and family motored in from New Bedford, Mass., to be with their children, Mr. and Mrs. M. Solomon, Marcil Avenue.

Miss Essie Hirsch, Laurentian Apartments, Cote de Neiges Road, is leaving shortly for Lake Placid, N.Y.

Mrs. A. Matoff and family, Jeanne Mance Street, are at Shawbridge for the summer.

Mrs. J. Rosenbaum, Bishop Street, is at the Hotel Vermont, Ste. Agathe.

A. Gross is in New York for several days visiting his sons.

Miss Mary Kirsch, Prudhomme Avenue, has left to spend a few weeks at Bradley Beach, N.J.

Mrs. O. Slabotsky and children, Querbes Avenue, has left to spend the remainder of the summer at Morin Heights.

M. Perlman, L. Gordon and H. I. Kastner have returned from a motor trip through the States.

Arthur Neumann, of Ogdensburgh, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Neumann, Cote Ste. Antoine Road, en route for the Laurentians.

Among those who entertained for Miss Cecile Goldner, whose marriage took place on July 5, were: Miss Belle Ringel, bridge and evening, May 30; Mrs. H. Astof, bridge and shower, June 9; Mrs. H. Thompson, bridge and linen shower at the Edinburgh Cafe, June 18; Miss Evelyn Shapiro, tea at the Mount Royal Hotel, June 21; Miss Evelyn Rost and Miss Fan Lazarus, joint hostesses at a bridge and crystal shower, June 25.

Louis Gordon has returned from a motor trip through Plattsburgh, Atlantic City and New York.

Lester Slabotsky, Querbes Avenue, has left for Eagle Mountain Camp, Ver., where he will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. I. Mauer and daughter, Bernice, left to spend a few weeks at Old Orchard Beach.

L. Gref, of New York, is visiting his sister, Mrs. O. Slabotsky, at Morin Heights.

John Rubin, of New York, who spent the past three weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Rubin, has returned.

Mrs. A. Frank and family, Esplanade Avenue, have left to spend the summer at Trout Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas and Mr. Harry Jonas, of New York, were visitors in town for a short time.

Mrs. M. Gross and daughter, Evelyn, are spending a few weeks at Val Morin.

Miss Annie Lacol, Hutchison Street, spent a week with Miss Lillie Soloway at Val Morin.

Mrs. S. Tobin and family, Maryann Street, are spending several weeks at Wener's Hotel, Val David.

Mrs. Nathan Engel and children, Grosvenor Avenue, are spending several weeks at Ivry Nord.

Miss Tessie Pearson, Esplanade Avenue, is in training at the Jewish Memorial Hospital, New York.

Mrs. M. Gordon and Miss Toba Gordon, of Troy, N.Y., are visiting Mrs. J. Livshitz, Oxford Avenue. They spent the week-end in Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Litwin spent the week-end at Val Morin.

Miss Lily Rabinovitch, Brooklyn, N.Y., has left for home after spending a month in Montreal with Misses D. and F. Futterman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Darwin, Montclair Avenue, are in New York for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Cohen and daughter, Molly, Arlington Avenue, spent the week-end at Chateau Quinte, St. Marguerite.

Mrs. S. Litner and family, Hutchison Street, are summering at Shawbridge.

Miss Anne Morris, of Brooklyn, N.Y., who was visiting her cousin, Miss M. Horwitz, of 136 Marlowe, has left for home.

Misses Jean and Essie Ditcovitch, Villeneuve West, have left for the Laurentian Lodge, Prefontaine, where they will be for several weeks.

Jess Ditcovitch and Joe Coppleman have left for the Laurentian Lodge, Prefontaine.

Mrs. Max Wiseman, accompanied by Mrs. S. Boulkind and daughter, Mabel, have taken the Saguenay trip.

Miss Bobby Rosovitch, St. Joseph Boulevard, left on Friday, July 25, on the "Aurania," for an extended trip to Europe.

Mrs. I. Shaffran, Clarke Street, who spent several weeks at Val Morin, has returned.

Miss Edith Ziff, Villeneuve Avenue West, left on Friday, July 24, for Camp Wi-Co-Su-Ta, New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Sloves, Drummond Street, left for Old Orchard Beach, where they will remain a few weeks.

Joseph Zwibel, Henri Julien Street, is at Bellevue Hotel, St. Marguerite, for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Marks Herman and daughter, Bessie, Clarke Street, have left for Providence, R.I., and other points.

Dr. David H. Ballon, Crescent Street, is spending the month of July at Poland Springs, Me.

Among those who entertained in honour of Miss Clara Glassberg, whose marriage to Samuel Louis Portugal takes place on August 18, at the Windsor Hotel, were: Miss Goldie Besner, Mrs. Phil Blond and Mrs. Jack Feller, theatre party and tea on Wednesday, July 7; Mrs. E. J. Levine, bridge and tea on July 8; Miss Sarah Klineberg, crystal shower on July 11; Miss Anna Kussner, mah jong and bridge, July 14; Mrs. Louis Rosenstone, bridge, July 15; and Misses Lea and Jennie Cossman, bridge and Dutch supper on July 18.

Nat Rubin, son of Sam. Rubin, Halifax, N.S., is visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. Silverman, Park Avenue.

Mrs. L. Tesser, of El Paso, Texas, is the guest of Mrs. S. Talpis, Arlington Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wexler and family are summering at Beaconsfield, Quebec.

Mrs. W. Rathchard and her two daughters, of Springfield, Mass., are spending the summer in Montreal with Mrs. M. Abramovitz, 1575a Jeanne Mance, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ziff and family, Villeneuve Avenue West, spent last week-end at Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. I. Elkin, Chesterfield Avenue, is spending three weeks at Chateau Quinte, Ste. Marguerite.

Miss Rose Goldner, Melrose Avenue, spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. A. Wexler, at Beaconsfield, Quebec.

Mrs. William Silver and children, Ruby, Ettie and Max, St. Joseph Boulevard West, are spending the rest of the summer at Ste. Marguerite, Que.

Mrs. Lyon Jacobs and family, Vendome Avenue, are spending the rest of the summer at Arverne, Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Greenblatt sailed on the "Regina" for an extended trip abroad.

I. Wyzanski, of Boston, is spending a short time visiting his daughter, Mrs. Albert Workman, Grey Avenue.

Miss Marjorie Goldstein, Argyle Avenue, is spending a few weeks in Schnectady, New York, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Warshaw.

Mrs. C. J. Gross, Western Avenue, is staying for several weeks at Old Orchard Beach.

M. J. Heillig, Kitchener Avenue, has returned from a week's stay in Old Orchard Beach.

Mrs. J. Rosenstein and family, Hutchison Street, are spending the summer at Lac Masson.

Mrs. E. C. Levine and children, Bishop Street, have taken a cottage at Ste. Agathe for the remainder of the summer.

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Mrs. Jack Krokyn and son, Billy, of Boston, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Tannenbaum, Sherbrooke Street West.

Mrs. W. Ziff, Villeneuve Avenue West, is leaving for Ashbury Park, New York.

Mrs. A. Charles Benjamin and son, 3335 Park Avenue, are summering at Lacoma, Quebec.

Mrs. David Levi, St. Mark Street, will spend several weeks at Schroon Lake, N.Y.

Miss Lilly Samuels, Drummond Street, is at Lake George, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Zahler and family, de l'Epee Avenue, were guests at the Barnett Hotel, St. Faustin.

Sam Denenberg, Hutchison Street, was a guest at Hotel Vermont, Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. Carrie Rosen and Miss Bernadine Rosen, Hutchison Street, are spending several weeks at Lake George, N.Y.

Mrs. A. Shapiro and sons, of Quebec, was a guest at Hotel Vermont, Ste. Agathe.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Kahn (nee Miss Milly Gordon) have returned from their honeymoon.

Mrs. M. Felsen and daughter, Lucille, Marlowe Avenue, are leaving shortly for Old Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Feldman, Addington Avenue, have returned from an extended motor trip to American beaches.

Mrs. H. Friefeld, Mance Street, is summering at Chateau Quinte, St. Marguerite.

Mrs. A. Weiss and family are guests at Chateau Quinte.

Mrs. Moe Brainin and son, Abracha, Fairmount Avenue, are guests at Hotel Vermont, Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. Henry Kaufmann, Marlowe Avenue, is spending the rest of the summer at Ivry Nord.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Levin, Strathcona Avenue, sailed for Europe on July 15 on board the S.S. "Melita."

Mrs. Ray Friedman and daughter, Miss Bernice Friedman, Hutchison Street, are leaving shortly for Atlantic City.

Mrs. A. Gries, St. Joseph Boulevard, is spending the summer at Woodlands.

Hymen Fallon is spending a week in Toronto.

Mrs. Bernard Halpern and son, Howard, Elm Avenue, will spend several weeks in Old Orchard.

A. Levin, who left for Europe on July 15 to represent Canada at the International Conference on Jewish Immigration Matters in Berlin on August 9, was the guest of honour at a banquet given by the board of the Immigration Aid Society. Among those who spoke were: A. J. Freiman, of Ottawa; H. M. Caiserman, National Organizer of the Zionist Organization; R. Darwin, President Montreal Zionist Council; Leon Goldman, Executive Secretary; S. W. Jacobs, K.C., M.P.; H. S. Belkin, representing the I. C. A.; Haltrecht, Barsky, A. Wolofsky, H. Hershman, L. Covien-sky, Klein, Louis Cohen, Marcus Sperber, K.C., H. Daniels and Mr. Cohen. Benjamin Robinson was toastmaster. A walking stick was presented to A. Levin by Mr. Levinson, and Mrs. Levin was presented with a writing folio. Mr. Levin will be one of the Canadian delegates to the Fourteenth Zionist Congress in Vienna, starting August 18.

BORN

At the Medical Arts, on Sunday, July 19, to Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Goodman (nee Bessie Shrier), 107 Villeneuve Avenue West, a daughter.

At Valleyfield, Que., on July 15, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosen, a son.

To Dr. and Mrs. Trossman, of 4662 Park Avenue, July 9, a son.

On July 15, at Woman's Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Harris, a son.

At Dr. Dunstan Gray's Hospital, July 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Feigin (nee Eve Mirabel), a son.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. B. Freedman, of Lachine, announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn Lila, to Samuel Levine, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Levine, of Newport, R.I.

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APPROACHING MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. H. Glassberg, Deacon Road, announce the marriage of their daughter, Clara, to Samuel Louis, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Portugal, of Winnipeg, the wedding to take place at the Windsor Hotel, August 18.

MEMORIAL CEREMONY

The tombstones of Mrs. Esther Backman, who died on February 19, and Hyman Backman, who died on April 6, 1924, will be unveiled at the Back River Cemetery, on Sunday, July 26, by their eldest son, Jack Backman, Those attending the ceremoney will be Jack, Sam, Abe, Peter and Moe Backman, and Mrs. I. Goldstein (nee Sara Backman), Mrs. Saul Arams (nee Dora Backman), and Misses Rose and Nellie Backman.

OBITUARY

The Young Men's Social and Athletic Club has cancelled all activities for some time owing to the sudden death of a member, Moe Michaelson.

MONTREALER LOSES SON

Bernard Rasminsky, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rasminsky, Greene Avenue, was instantly killed on Saturday, July 18, when his head was crushed by the wheel of an automobile.

WOLFE SINGER

Wolfe Signer, insurance broker, died on Friday, the 17th inst., at the Royal Victoria Hospital, after an illness of seven weeks. He was forty-six years of age. He was a member of the Corinthian Lodge A.F. and A.M.; Ivanhoe Lodge, K. of P.; Jewish Congress, officer of the Jewish Community Council, and founder of the Bessarabier Hebrew Sick Benefit Association. He was a representative of the Mutual Life Assurance Company for over fifteen years. He was a member of the various Liberal Jewish Political Associations of this Province. He is survived by a father and mother, Reverend and Mrs. A. J. Signer, his widow (nee Beckie Davis), three daughters, Misses Jean, Eva and Gertrude; a son, Morris B.; a daughter-in-law, Jennie Cohen Signer; five sisters, Mrs. H. Rosenbaum, Mrs. B. Michaelson, Mrs. A. Goldstein, Mrs. J. Freedman, and Mrs. N. Egurim; and two brothers, Rabbi Isidore Signer, of Sommerville, Mass., and M. Signer, of this city.

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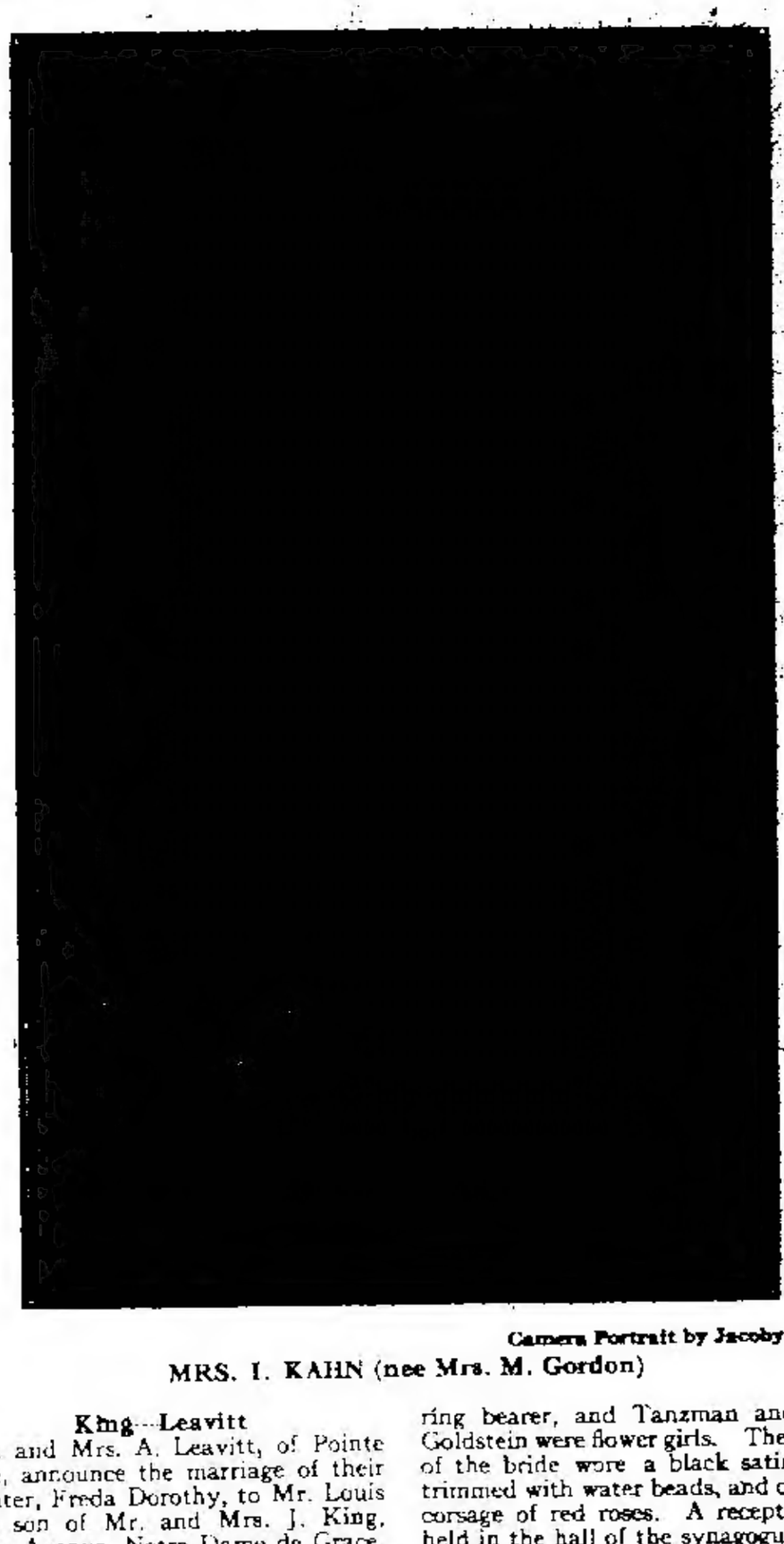

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MRS. I. KAHN (nee Mrs. M. Gordon)

King—Leavitt

Mr. and Mrs. A. Leavitt, of Pointe Claire, announce the marriage of their daughter, Freda Dorothy, to Mr. Louis King, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. King, Wilson Avenue, Notre Dame de Grace, which took place in New York. Mr. and Mrs. King are now living in Montreal.

Rubin-Freedman

The marriage of Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Freedman, to Reuben Rubin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rubin, of Moncton, N.B., was solemnized Tuesday, June 30, at the Bnai Jacob Synagogue, Rabbi Cuttler officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white crepe dress over satin trimmed with lace in circular fashion. Her veil of silk net was arranged in Dutch cap effect with orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and lilies-of-the-valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Lillian Freedman, as maid of honour, in peach georgette over silver metallic cloth, who wore a hat to match and carried tea roses. The bridesmaids were the Misses Alice Freedman, sister of the bride maize georgette over silver metallic cloth with tulle thrown across the shoulder; Stella Krasnick, Nile green georgette with silver lace and tulle; Ray Kaufman, powder blue georgette with silver lace and tulle; and Mina Cohen, silver with rainbow colour georgette and tulle, who all carried tea roses. Max Mendelsohn was best man. The groomsmen were Simon Feinberg, Louis Goldman, Joe Coleman and Sidney Wilensky. Tootsie Freedman, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer, and Tanzman and Anna Goldstein were flower girls. The mother of the bride wore a black satin gown, trimmed with water beads, and carried a corsage of red roses. A reception was held in the hall of the synagogue. The out-of-town guests were Miss Jean Feinberg, Simon Feinberg, of New York; Miss Lillian Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Freeman and family, of New Haven, Conn.; Sidney Wilensky, of Waterbury, Conn.; Louis Rubin, Irving Rubin, Max Mendelsohn, Max Ross, and Louis Savage, all of Moncton, N.B. The couple left by car for different parts of Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Rubin will live in Moncton, N.B.

CORRECTION

In issue of July 10 the cut-line for the Rimer photo should have been Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ernest Rimer (nee Sylvia Bernstein), who were married on June 28.

OPEN DOOR LEAGUE

The Open Door League of Canada was organized lately in Montreal with the following objects: The abolition of restrictions upon emigration, immigration and passports irrespective of race, nationality, religion and money qualifications; the obtaining of information of all kinds for the benefit of actual and prospective immigrants, and giving publicity to it; the spreading of propaganda in order to place the immigrant on an equal social footing with the natives of Canada; the Canadian Government (in view of the serious misrepresentations which have often been made to the detriment of immigrants should in all foreign countries give immediate and continued publicity regarding immigration; reduction to three years of residence in Canada for naturalization purposes; reduction to two months of residence of British immigrants necessary to obtain the federal vote. This League not to be utilized by any manufacturers, railways or steamship companies, or any political society, seeking cheap labour or political adherents. Its policy is also to invite the close co-operation of labour. Membership is open to men and women. It was decided to circularize all societies, organizations, trade unions and all members of Parliament in Ottawa in order to obtain their support. On the temporary board of directors are several nationalities represented, and it is planned to extend its activities from coast to coast in Canada. Temporary office at 419 Power Building. Temporary president is B. Goldenberg and temporary secretaries are F. W[illegible]ish (Cambridge) and E. Ilieff.

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The Dufferin School Graduates' Society scholarship committee have received scholarships from: H. Simon & Sons, Limited, Mark Workman, Sol. Joseph and the Charles C. Hershorn Scholarship. The latter will serve with the scholarship committee. Present applications state pupils' inability to attend if not granted scholarships, and are accompanied by recommendations from recognized Hebrew schools.

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Hospital Will Join in Effort

A change in the plans for the erection of the Hebrew Maternity Hospital in the city was made on July 15 at a meeting of the executive committee in conjunction with the members of the committee of the proposed new Jewish General Hospital. The members of the latter approached the Maternity Hospital executive and asked them to take a share in the erection of the General Hospital instead of erecting a separate institution. This was agreed to on condition that the maternity wing of the new hospital is erected first, as the present building on Cadieux Street is totally inadequate for the needs of the Jewish community.

Since 1913, when the Jewish Maternity Hospital was opened, the births have been over three thousand, last year half of the Jewish births of the city taking place there. The institution has sixteen beds, and in the proposed maternity building there will be sixty beds, and it is to be modern in every respect. Altogether, the new hospital will have 200 beds and will be a modernly equipped institution. Efforts are being made to raise a million dollars to pay for it.

J. B. Miller presided at the meeting, and among those present were: J. A. Budyk, secretary of the Maternity Hospital executive; L. Darwin, C. B. Fainer and Sol Fels.

Y.W.H.A. CAMP

The first party of girls left for the Y.W.H.A. Camp for girls, from the Place Viger Station last Friday, in charge of the camp nurse, and were met at Ste. Agathe Station by Mrs. D. H. Bernstein, camp director, and from there transported by automobile to Lac Brule. Welcome Camp accommodates about seventy-five girls, all under canvas, with a mess hall and a cottage for rainy days. The girls are given a two weeks' holiday, with recreation and games under supervision, and a new party of girls arrives every Friday afternoon to replace those leaving. The camp last summer gave a holiday to 150 girls. Reservations with camp secretary, 717 Clarke Street (Plateau 1380, evenings).

JEWISH FRESH AIR FUND BENEFIT

A bridge and mah jongg will be held at all the summer resorts in the Laurentians on the C.P.R. line from St. Jerome to St. Faustin and interior points, proceeds to go to the Montreal Jewish Fresh Air Fund. Mrs. P. Glickman is convener. All contributions in cash or in kind, and all donations will be remitted to Mrs. P. Glickman, Greenberg's Hotel, St. Agathe.

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CORNWALL

Miss Celia Livinson, Miss Sarah Miller and Messrs. A. J. Livinson, M. A. Fink, Joseph W. Bronstein, Louis Shiff and Harry Block, who visited friends in Cornwall, returned by the S.S. Rapids Prince. The party made a motor tour as the guests of Alderman Julius Miller. Miss M. Miller, Gloucester Street, Cornwall, Ont., was hostess at a luncheon in honour of them, and of Mrs. Bogant, Detroit. Alderman and Mrs. Julius Miller, Second Street West, Cornwall, entertained for them. Miss Annette Phillips poured coffee.

GUELPH

The new synagogue on Surrey and Devonshire Streets was dedicated on Sunday. There are twenty-two Hebrew families in Guelph and the extensive alterations which have transformed the old Dougherty home have been accomplished solely by them.

About 250 people participated in the parade from the old praying room to the new synagogue, when the Torah was moved to the new quarters. Visitors were present from Toronto, Simcoe, Georgetown, Galt, Sarnia and other places.

Morris Enushevsky, Ben Foster, Samuel Acker, M. Wall and L. Spegel comprised the committee in charge of the ceremonials. Henry Cohen officiated as chairman. Louis Brown, president of the congregation, attended to the auctioning of the honours that were sold.

At the auction, Sam Herrman paid $40 for the key of the synagogue, and had the honour of being the first one to officially open its door. Mrs. L. Brown paid $30 for the second key of the synagogue. Mrs. B. Foster bought the first mazzusa for $30. Mr. Stroeb, of Detroit, purchased the second mazzusa for $15. Mr. Enushevsky purchased the honour of carrying the Torah for $17 from the old praying room to the new synagogue. Mr. Sachs, of Georgetown, paid a similar amount for carrying the second Torah. M. Enushevsky paid $11 for drawing back the curtain of the ark. M. Bochner, Toronto, paid $20 for being the first one to open the ark. Henry Cohen paid $20 for placing the first Torah in the ark, and Mr. Godin paid $12 for placing the second Torah in the ark. Sam Acker paid $185 for turning on the light which burns in front of the ark day and night. Mr. Wall paid $25 for being the first one to light the menorah. Mr. Goldstein, of Preston, paid $10 to cover the table with a velvet cover. L. Spegel paid $16 for the honour of saying the first prayer in the synagogue. I. Smith paid $10 to cover the prayer table. Mr. Wolfong paid $12 for the honour of turning on the first lights in the synagogue, and Mrs. L. Brown paid $13 for turning on the lights of the pulpit.

W. Frankel, P. Axelrod, Simcoe; E. Boehner, S. Axelrod, Woodstock; S. Siverling, Toronto; B. Urman, H. Joseph, Mr. Spring, Galt; N. Nemoy, Mrs. J. Brown and Mr. Simon also contributed.

Rabbi Gordon and Cantor Barkin, of Toronto; Rabbi Grantsten, of Sarnia, and Rabbi Stein, of Guelph, officiated at the ceremonies of the opening. Rabbi Gordon spoke. Cantor Barkin sang.

CANADIANS IN LOS ANGELES

Miss Reba Gross, of Montreal, who has been the guest of Mrs. L. Frischling for the past few weeks, has left for San Francisco.

Miss Francis and Miss Pauline Genser are at Santa Monica Beach.

Mrs. L. Frischling and Mrs. P. Strann are in San Francisco.

On Wednesday, July 8, at the study of Rabbi Rosenberg, Pasadena, the marriage took place of Miss Frances Schwartz, daughter of Mrs. J. Schwartz, of Spokane, to Lysle Isaacs, formerly of St. John, N.B.

At the Angelus Hall, the marriage took place recently of Miss Evelyn Shulman to Sol Arcusovitch. Rabbi Holland officiated.

Mrs. Wm. Bernfeld entertained Wednesday evening in honour of her birthday.

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Miss Bec Nadler was hostess at a theatre party in honour of the wedding attendants of Miss Sorrella Herson, whose marriage to Jack Sternbeck takes place at the Ambassador, Tuesday.

Mrs. Nadler and Miss Bessie Viner, of Montreal, are expected in town shortly, and will be the guests of Mrs. Wm. Bernfeld.

Recent visitors to Santa Barbara included Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bernfeld, Miss Bec Nadler, Irving Segal, Miss Eva Nadler, Leo Becker, Mr. and Mrs. H. Adilman, Bernard and Beryl Adilman, Mrs. Vineberg, of Montreal, T. Vineberg, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerner, Morris and Arthur Kerner.

Mrs. Max Levine, Harcourt Avenue, entertained at a luncheon bridge on Thursday, in honour of her guest, Mrs. Copeland, of Spokane. Those present included Mesdames B. Myers, D. Gordon, M. Myers, J. Stodel, P. B. Glickman, Otto Kerner, E. Elenstein, J. Schwartz, Spokane; L. Frischling, P. Strann, M. Prelusky, A. Karasor, E. Karasor, H. Singer, Pasadena; H. Hacker, R. Frischling, E. Elias, Silverman, C. Ehrlich, H. Harris, Glendale; Leon and Miss Reba Gross, Montreal.

OSHAWA

Miss Clara Schwartz has left for Monticello, N.Y., to visit relatives.

HAMILTON

Mr. and Mrs. Diemner and daughters, Bebe and Francine, of New York City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Caller. The Callers and their guests motored to Niagara Falls on Sunday.

Among those at Burlington Beach are: Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Goldblatt and children; Mr. and Mrs. Lyons and family; Mr. and Mrs. Moe Levy and son, Edgar; Mr. and Mrs. Raphin; Miss Jessye Swartz, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Rubeun Levy and family; Mrs. Rose Levy and family; Mr. and Mrs. H. Langer and daughter, Dorothy.

During the month of May 2,895 Jewish immigrants arrived in Palestine.

The Vienna "Arbeiter Presse" was fined for publishing a list of 300 Jewish names, with a view of giving information to those who seek to attack Jewish homes. The court was asked for the arrest of both the editor and the writer of the article for inciting to riot.

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It is officially announced that there is no truth in the rumor that Mr. Norman Bentwich is resigning his post as Attorney-General to the Palestine Government.

About 4,200 Jewish immigrants, most of whom come from Poland and belong to the middle class, landed in Palestine during the month of June.

After Mr. Sokolow visited several of the ministers of the present Government of Poland, an official statement was issued by the Minister for Foreign Affairs, in which the Polish Government expresses its favourable attitude to the Zionist movement.

Several of the foremost Jewish cantors have gone to Palestine with the object of establishing there a music academys Prof. David Schorr, of the Moscow Conservatory of Music, and a well-known composer of Jewish synagogue music, is the leader in this movement.

Hungarian Jews expended the large sum of nearly two billion crowns during the past five years in the support of Jewish students who, on account of the numerous clauses, were obliged to pursue their studies in foreign universities. Seventy-four Hungarian Jewish students were graduated from foreign universities with the doctorate during the past year.

The death sentence pronounced on the first Jew in Tel Aviv for murder was commuted by the Court of Appeals to fifteen years' imprisonment. The murderer, Hirshhorn, was accused of killing his wife in a moment of frenzy.

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Rabbi Dr. Wiener, of Antwerp, has been created Chevalier of the Order of Leopold, in recognition of his services as instructor in the Jewish religion to the public schools of the city.

Henry Santrey, one of America's greatest singers, is the brother of Rabbi Gross, of Newark. Mr. Santrey once intended to become a cantor, but decided to devote his art to the theatre.

TRADE BETWEEN PALESTINE AND POLAND

An interesting conference was recently held at Tel Aviv, at the instance of the Polish Consul in Jerusalem, Dr. Hubitzk, for the purpose of considering the possibilities of a closer relationship in imports and exports between Palestine and Poland. Many of the foremost merchants and bankers took part in the conference. It was brought out from the very beginning that the kind of articles produced by Palestine is so different from the kind of industry in Poland that a friendly understanding between the merchants of the two countries would be of tremendous benefit to both lands. The main difficulty, as was pointed out, was the unsatisfactory manner of the handling of mails in Poland and the difficulties placed in the way of travellers by the Polish Government. A committee was appointed to study the question in greater detail and the Consul promised to exert his influence with the home Government so as to remove the difficulties in the way of a closer trade relation between the merchants of the two countries.

The museum of the Bezalel Art School of Jerusalem, which houses upward of fifty thousand objects of ancient and modern art, was formally opened last week.

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Harold C. Lande, seventeen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lande, Grosvenor Avenue, headed the matriculation examination for the Province of Quebec, obtaining the highest percentage of marks and heading successful candidates for admission to the Faculty of Arts at McGill University. He obtained 855 marks out of a possible 1,000 marks. He is a graduate of the Westmount High School and was awarded the commissioner's prize and a certificate of merit every year at high school. He graduated from the Roslyn Avenue public school with honours. He is a Hebrew student and won a gold medal upon his graduation from the Shaar Hashomayim Sunday School. He is a member of the Westmount High School Debating Society and of the Kappa Alpha Upsilon Lambda Phi Fraternity; plays the piano and the mandolin, and is interested in outdoor sports. He will enter the Faculty of Arts at McGill University in the fall.

HAROLD B. LANDE
of Westmount High School, who headed University Matriculation pass list.

Huldah Malca Alexandor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Alexandor, Victoria Avenue, and a pupil of the Westmount High School, ranked eighth in the matriculation pass list, with 823 marks. She is a pupil of the Westmount High School and has won prizes in high school and at the Roslyn Avenue public school. She plays the violin and is a student at the McGill Conservatorium of Music. Miss Alexandor, who is summering at Camp Lodin Canaan, Maine, will enter the Faculty of Arts at McGill University in the fall.

HULDAH MALCA ALEXANDOR
of Westmount High School, who passed the University Matriculation Examinations with distinction.

Others who matriculated with distinction were: Max Diamond, Westmount High School, fifth, 838 marks; Samuel Gold, Montreal High School for boys, sixth, 827 marks; Harry Herman, Montreal High School for boys, seventh, 825 marks; Gertrude Lerner, Baron Byng High School, ninth, 821 marks; Gerald Simand, Strathcona Academy, tenth, 806 marks; Jennie Nudelman, High School for girls, twelth, 804 marks.

OTTAWA

Mrs. Charles Rotbart and children and Mrs. Charles Tanner and daughter are spending a few weeks at Norway Bay, Que.

Moe and Max Bregman have left on a motor trip to New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Miss Fanny Smith has returned home, having spent three months with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl I. Fein, of Lynchburg, Virginia. Mrs. Carl I. Fein has accompanied her sister back and will visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith.

Miss Eva Cohen, of New York, fiancee of A. E. Brill, formerly of Ottawa, is visiting at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gladstone, 243 Percy Street.

Miss Eva Bilsky spent the last week in Montreal with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Shragge, at the Mount Royal Hotel, and is now spending a week at Ste. Agathe des Monts.

D. Kolber, of Chicago, who with his son, Leon, accompanied his niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kert, from Montreal by motor, has returned again to Montreal, where he will spend several weeks with his brother, S. Kolber. Mr.

and Mrs. Kert and Morley Kert have left for Garret's Rest on a fishing trip.

Geo. M. Wolf, accompanied by his father, Morris Wolf, of Boston, and brother, Paul Wolf, of Hollywood, Cal., are spending the week in Garret's Rest.

Mrs. L. Adelman and Miss Anne Adelman, of Toronto, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sinclair during the recent Judaean convention. Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Moise motored from Waterloo, P.Q., last week and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair. They also had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sinclair and Miss A. King, of Montreal.

Mrs. B. Rubinovitch, of Montreal, is with her sister, Mrs. Harry Freedman, for a few weeks.

Miss Malca Freedman is with her aunt, Mrs. Miller, at Lachine, P.Q., and relatives in Montreal.

Mrs. B. Epstein and daughter, Sybil, of Hamilton, have motored to Ottawa and are spending a month in Britannia, the guests of Louis Epstein.

Mrs. S. Harris, of London, and Miss Bessye Soskin, of Hamilton, who motored here last week, returned to Toronto by boat. In Ottawa they stayed with their aunt, Mrs. A. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Caplan, accompanied by Sam Caplan and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. D. Scott, of Welch, West Virginia, motored to Montreal last week-end.

Mrs. I. Feldman, of Lawrence, Mass., with her two daughters, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. H. Sinclair. Miss Min Cleman and Ben Cleman, of Winnipeg, are spending the remainder of the summer with the F. H. Sinclairs.

Misses Pearl and Clare Beamault, of Brooklyn, N.Y., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. Kert, for a week.

Misses Phoebe and Ester Epstein have left for New York, where the latter will spend the rest of the summer months, while Miss Phoebe will go to Atlantic City to resume her training in the Atlantic City Hospital. In New York they will stop with Mr. and Mrs. H. Lustkarten, their sister and brother-in-law.

Miss Elsa Rosenthal has returned from Binghamton, N.Y.

Jacob Polowin and daughters, Misses Rebecca and Sarah Polowin, motored to Montreal last week-end.

Misses Mary and Bertha Slonemsky entertained informally at the tea hour last Sunday afternoon in honour of their cousins, Mrs. S. Harris, of London, and Miss Bessye Soskin, of Hamilton.

Wm. Richter, of Montreal, spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Richter. Miss Rose Richter, nurse-in-training at the Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, will be with her parents for the next two weeks. Her sister, Miss Esther Richter, was hostess at a tea for fifteen girls last Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Gould entertained informally one evening last week in honour of Miss Ida Alexander, of Baltimore, Md.

Miss Rosalind Middleman, of Philadelphia, Pa., is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. Middleman.

Irving Freedman, of Montreal, came last week-end to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Freedman.

Miss Rae Salminoff entertained during the week-end in honour of D. Goldberg, D. Jaffies and A. Gordon, of Boston, Mass.

Miss Rose Greenberg entertained at a card party in honour of Miss Ida Alexander, of Baltimore, and Miss Jennie Epstein, of Montreal. Prizes were won by Misses Pearl Goldfield and Ann Golub.

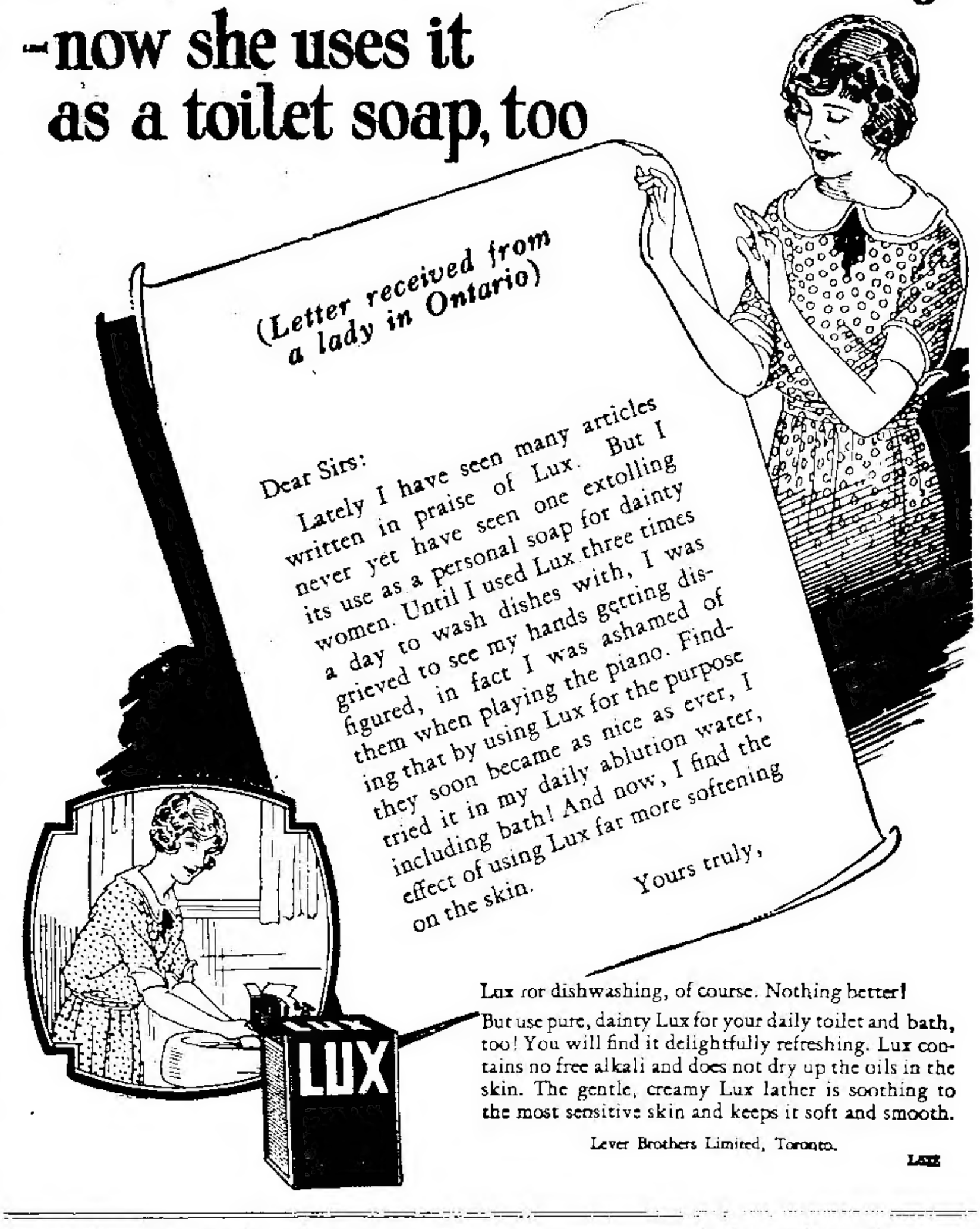
Mrs. Harry Freedman entertained at an afternoon tea Tuesday of last week for the out-of-town guests. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. J. Hoozman and Mrs. W. Shenkman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Katz entertained at a family gathering at their summer cottage in Kingsmere, P.Q., last Saturday night, in honour of Miss Florence Sugarman and her fiance, William Mazur, of Montreal. The out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lerman, of New York; Chas. Mazur and Henry Mazur, of Montreal.

Misses Florence Lachovitz and Ester Slone were joint hostesses at a party held at the home of Miss Florence Lachovitz in honour of Miss Celia Petegorsky, of Kingston, Ont. The table was centered with peonies and June roses.

Mrs. Benj. Goldfield and Mrs. A. Slone were joint hostesses at a luncheon bridge at a tea room in honour of the out-of-town guests.

She tried Lux for dishwashing —now she uses it as a toilet soap, too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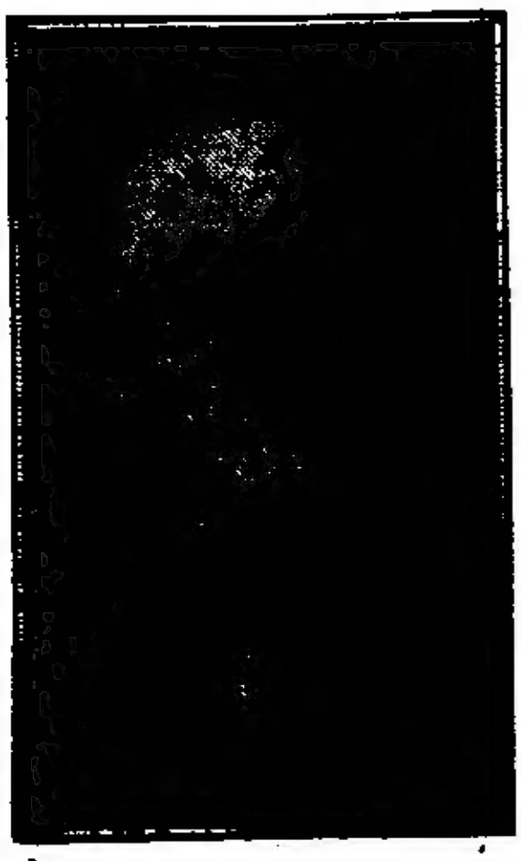
OBITUARY

At Ottawa, at her late residence, Rideau Street, Mrs. L. Doctor, wife of Rev. L. Doctor, died Monday, July 12.

OTTAWA MAN NAMED DISTRICT DEPUTY FOR BNAI BRITH

Word has been received by Benjamin Goldfield, barrister, of this city, that the president, Bertrand M. Aufsesser, of District Grand Lodge No. 1, Independent Order Bnai Brith, at the recent convention held at Albany, N.Y., appointed him district deputy of the Province of Ontario. Mr. Goldfield is a past president of Ottawa Lodge No. 885. The Ottawa Lodge was constituted on February 19, 1921. Ottawa Lodge has sponsored the 39th Boy Scout Troop of this city and has a Big Brotherhood Committee, and its representative attends Juvenile Court and looks after any juvenile delinquents. A conference of Canadian lodges has been called for July 25 and 26, to be held at the King Edward Hotel, at Toronto, at which Mr. Goldfield, as district deputy for the province, will attend.



BENJAMIN GOLDFIELD

Dr. Stephen S. Wise left for Europe on the "Majestic" to join Mrs. Wise and his daughter, Justine, in Geneva, where she is associated with the International Labor Section of the League of Nations. Dr. and Mrs. Wise will in all likelihood travel in Spain to visit those parts of the country which were the seat of the Jewish settlements of other centuries. He will probably attend the Zionist Congress at Vienna and will visit the Rabbinical Seminaries in Berlin, Breslau and Vienna in the interest of the Jewish Institute of Religion.

The Palestine Government has decided to renovate the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem.

Read the "Jewish Review"

Every Friday

The Polish rabbinate, much disturbed by the prevailing immodesty in women's dress, recently issued an appeal against it to the Jewish population of the country. The rabbis had a splendid plan for rectifying the evil. In every town a special committee was to be formed to consider how, with all the means at their command, to wash off the shame and restore Jewish spotlessness and pride. The rabbis sounded warnings, appealed to the spirit of self-sacrifice and made threats. As the responsible leaders of the Jewish people, they begged the women not to add to their rabbinical woes, and warned the men that, according to Jewish law, every husband and father who tolerates immodesty in his home should be expelled from every Jewish institution. They reminded the people that immodesty of dress can serve as ground for divorce and that no Jewish man may enter a place where women are dressed disgracefully. Tailors and dressmakers were mentioned as sharers in responsibility of sin, and as culprits in adding to the rabbinical zoras.

There is a lot of feeling in the appeal of the rabbis and they issued it in their best judgment and evidently at their wits' end. But they never should have done it, especially, as they said, with tears of blood in their eyes, for it only reveals their own bankruptcy of power, their own utter helplessness, even in Poland, against the trend of the times. Who listens to the ministers any more when it comes to matters of personal conduct? Few, even in the old European Jewish communities. Times have changed, this is a new era. If girls wear short dresses it may be because of the dictatorship of Paris, and it may be that they want freedom, that instead of mincing they mean to stride.

But aside from that, if the rabbis have nothing else to be perturbed about except what they see of immodest dress in sidelong glances, does it mean that they are afraid to issue pronouncements about weightier problems? To people who expect real leadership from the rabbis such an appeal as an impassioned one on women's dress must be disheartening. If they really want to grapple, there are other problems, problems of poverty, disease, social injustice, crime, ignorance, superstition, corrupt politics. Their solution would be of far more importance in the lives of people than the length of skirts and the height of collars.

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The Jewish Times, of Baltimore, commenting on the recent conference of Jewish Social Workers in Denver, says that the wrong people go to these conventions. It suggests that, instead of paying the transportation of social workers alone, the boards of directors of the various agencies should be sent along.

This is an excellent idea and if carried out would undoubtedly raise the ideals of philanthropic and social work to higher levels everywhere. The people who go to the conventions now acquire some fresh ideas yearly but, for the most part, they hear the same conclusions from year to year. It is like talking prohibition over and over again to those who have been dead against liquor for years. The people who need most to come in contact with social workers' conventions are those in every community most active in social and philanthropic work, or what they intend for and think is social and philanthropic work. They would receive ideas which the head-paid social workers already have and co-operation between the community and the social workers could be achieved more easily. Special agencies long ago approved in social work would not appear to be the specific aberration of the local worker and could be considered with less antagonism than is at present the usual case.

If, as *The Jewish Times* says, there are "board members whose community vision and social perception still revert to the glorious days when the chief function of a charity board seemed to be to wrangle over the menu of the annual dinner," there are also board members whose chief aim in dispensing charity is to save money. They try their best to exclude heart and common sense in the name of sweet charity. If they had the view of the social worker they would want to spend as much as necessary to bring about any necessary adjustment of conditions. Board members and communal workers often have a finger in the philanthropic pie without bringing to it any recommending virtue or ability. More often than not their vision needs enlarging. For every social worker sent to a convention there should be a few from the community in general to imbibe something of the same air. It would pay.

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Polish Immigrant Buys Astor Home

When William Astor built the great gray mansion at Fifth Avenue and 65th Street, in which for the next ten years Mrs. Astor was to rule New York society in its last great period, the man who bought it yesterday for a price presumably not less than that at which it was assessed, $2,345,000, was a boy of eleven, playing about the streets of Lodz, Poland, a tiny, insignificant unit in the vast formless population of Eastern Europe, of whose very existence New York society was superbly unconscious.

When social fortunes were being made or destroyed by an invitation or the lack of an invitation to an Astor ball, the Polish boy was being swept across the Atlantic in a great migration which has helped to change the America of that day to the America of this. When Mrs. Astor laid down the social sceptre which no one was ever again to wield, the Polish boy, now a young man in overalls, was working in a New York paint shop on the upper east side, painting houses, and struggling for a living in the new country.

When, last Tuesday, only twenty-two years later, the house, the last great landmark of the old social tradition, passed out of the hands of the Astor dynasty, it was Benjamin Winter, the Polish boy, who bought it.

So far and so fast has America moved in the last quarter-century.

The story of the Polish boy who bought the Astor home is part of the American epic. It begins, like so many parts of that epic, on the other side of the ocean. Benjamin Winter was born in 1882, in Lodz, Poland, the son of a small textile manufacturer.

As he grew up, he helped his father in his factory, but the older man had ambitions for him, and placed him under teachers to be educated as an artist. The lad studied dutifully, but without great results.

Then the father decided that America was the place for a man who had ambitions for his son, and he came over and shortly afterward, sent for his son, and the family took a place at No. 235 East Third Street and became a part of the swarming life of the lower east side.

Benjamin was nineteen years old when he landed at South Ferry. He could not speak a word of English, and he had no money at all and his father little more.

He walked the distance from the ferry landing to East Third Street, between the cliffs of masonry that even then were beginning to load the lower end of Manhattan. Two days after he arrived, he got a job in a paint shop at Avenue A and 86th Street—a humble job and poorly paid, for a raw Polish immigrant without a word of English is not a highly paid employee.

America had not showered fortune upon his father as yet, either. Rent day was an anxious one at No. 235 East Third Street, but the ingenuity of the family, and the skill and industry of the son showed themselves at once. Benjamin's father made an arrangement with the owner of the house in which they lived by which Benjamin was to paint the house, working from 5 to 7 a.m., and from 7 to 9 p.m., after his regular hours of work at the paint shop, and the payment for the job was to be applied in part payment of the rent.

Whether Benjamin's artistic education helped him to wield a paint brush on the side of the house or not, he does not know, but he became an acceptable house painter and followed the trade for several years, acquiring a living, a working knowledge of English and all the information he could absorb. As a painter, he came into contact with builders and contractors. One day he ventured to take a small contract himself and presently he was in the building business. In this he remained until 1914, when he made his first real estate deal.

That first deal was considered a remarkable one, in that Winter made the profit by losing his lease. He had taken a lease on a block of houses on Broadway, between 133rd and 134th Street, from the owners, the Hoguet family, with a clause which permitted cancellation in case the family wished to sell. They did sell and Winter got $1,000 for the cancellation.

His second venture was a big one. He leased the Nathan Hale six-story apartment at Fort Washington Avenue and 181st Street, then the largest building of its kind in Manhattan. Within five months the apartments were all rented, an extraordinary achievement at that time, when apartment house owners thought they were doing well if they did not have more than a dozen vacancies at a time.

Lease after lease followed and then he began buying apartment houses, each larger and more important than the last. He made a rule for himself to buy only revenue-producing properties, at least nine stories and fireproof. He bought to resell, but if a building remained on his hands, it gave him an income, and he was the gainer anyway.

Thus steadily and cautiously, but with a boldness and increasing capital, he forged ahead and soon was among the largest operators in New York. It has been estimated that between 1919 and 1923 he bought and sold nearly $500,000,000 worth of Manhattan residential property. He is one of the largest holders of improved properties in the city. Among his holdings are many magnificent apartment houses on Park Avenue, Broadway and elsewhere. Early last month he bought the old "Spanish flats," built by Jose de Navarro in 1882—the year Winter was born—on Seventh Avenue, between 58th and 59th Streets, $600,000 in cash being required to swing the deal, one of the largest amounts ever placed on a real estate contract in New York.

At the same time he announced plans to build a twenty-story hotel on the site, to cover nearly two acres, at a cost of $25,000,000. The announcement of the purchase of the Astor property followed within less than three weeks. He is not ready to announce his plans with regard to that, but it is understood the Astor home will be torn down and a tall apartment house erected on the site.

Mr. Winter's office is at No. 250 Park Avenue. It is very simple and unostentatious, as such offices go. On the door in large letters is the name of A. H. O'Brien, who became associated with him in 1914, and has managed his properties ever since. Mr. Winter's name is in small letters, like that of a junior member, or head clerk.

He is a quiet, pale-faced, rather shy looking young man, in a brown suit, with large, competent-looking hands and feet, a good-natured smile and an accent that is a little like a lisp.

He moves uncomfortably in his chair when asked for his story, but submits as if he thought that might be the quickest way to go through with the matter.

"My business success," he says, "is due, I think, to the fact that I went ahead in a normal way, worked very hard all the time, and always took the advice of my father and mother."

By a "normal way," he explains he means that he "didn't try to rush things." To a young man coming to America from Europe he would give the advice not to try to get rich all at once, but to take time, learn all he can, and "be on the job all the time."

What has become of the training that was to have made an artist of him, now that he has become a shining instance of the successful man of business? Does he collect pictures instead of painting them? No, he does not.

"To tell you the truth," he says, his face breaking into a smile, "I didn't have any artistic sense at all. My dad thought I had, and he tried it out on me, but—" he shook his head hopelessly. His friends say, however, that one use he made of his wealth has been to have excellent portraits painted of every member of his family.

Recreations? The only he can think of on the instant he mentions with some hesitation: "I am interested in some undertakings. One of them is the proposed memorial to Haym Salomon, the Polish-American Revolutionary patthe Polish-American Revolutionary patriot.

His friends add to this, too, the statement that he is a very large contributor to a wide range of charities, not only Jewish, but others as well, and that he has done much for his native town of Lodz. As to what are more commonly known as recreations, they say his chief interests are his family, which consists of three daughters and a son; his automobiles—of which no one ever knows exactly the number at any given minute, because he buys a new automobile whenever his tires wear out, instead of buying new tires, and so he sometimes has several on hand—and golf, which he took up about a year ago and is enthusiastic over. "He isn't a golfer, exactly," they admit, "but he aspires to be one."

What was his thought when, as a boy, he saw New York's skyline, formidable even then, looming before him, and he walked between its swarming and sky-scraping beehives? Did he realize that his opportunity was to lie in adding more teeth to that skyline.

Did he resolve to make his fortune out of those beehives, and did he have any premonition that he would one day buy the ultimate stronghold of the social order that was changing even when he came?

"I didn't have a thought in the world," he says, "except to get the first job I could. The rest has come because the painting business gave me contacts with other things and I followed them up, and because I had the co-operation of people who knew their business.

"I owe a great deal to the association of Mr. O'Brien through all these years. We struggled through the hard period together. And what is perhaps, most important, I never let anything, weather or distance or anything else, keep me from my work."

New York—A musical research tour to obtain new material for synagogical music has been undertaken by A. W. Binder, instructor in synagogue and folk music at the Jewish Institute of Religion. Mr. Binder sails on June 17 on the "Berengaria," bound for Palestine, where he will spend a month taking notes on Jewish and Arabic folk songs, as well as the ancient melodies of the Yemenites. He will spend most of his time in Palestine, in Jewish farming colonies and Arab villages. Before his return to America, Mr. Binder, who is regarded as an authority on synagogue and Jewish folk music, will visit Vienna, Berlin and Leipzig to gather old and new synagogue music by European composers which he will embody in the religious services of the Free Synagogue at Carnegie Hall, of which he is choirmaster. Mr. Binder, who is American born and trained, is the composer of much esteemed synagogue music, author of the "Chanuka Songster," "Purim Songster," "Seder Melodies," and an oration for children entitled "Judas Maccabeus," which has been performed all over the country.

An initial contribution of $50,000 has been received by the ORT from Chicago in advance of $150,000 pledged by that city, which is to be obtained in a campaign that will be conducted in the near future.

Among the members of the senior class of Harvard University who have been elected into Phi Beta Kappa are: Saul Jarcho, of New York City; Irvin Rosen, of Lowell; Albert Schwartz, of Cincinnati.

The project to united the Keren Hayesod and the Keren Kayemet in one fund, which was advocated by American Zionists, fell through because of the strenuous opposition to it by the leaders of the National Fund, especially Mr. Ussischkin.

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The Jewish Woman of Tripoli

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Scattered throughout the world, though keeping pure their religious ideals and maintaining their traditional customs, the Jewish people have naturally adopted some ideas and habits from the people of the countries to which they have come. This phenomenon is true of the Jew of Tripoli. The Jew was cut off from European civilization for centuries. Though he met with the Arabs only for the transaction of business, the Jew was greatly influenced by them. Among many things there is the idea that she cherishes of woman and her subjection.

The Jewish woman leads quite a different life from the Moslem woman. She is much more free. But the Jewish woman is nevertheless treated as an inferior being by her husband. A man rarely shares his intimate reflections or discusses his business with his wife. She has no other wishes than those of her husband. She does not try to develop her own personality. She has no other ideal than to be a careful housekeeper and a mother of many children. This forms the only ideal in all groups, rich as well as poor.

The ancient Jewish laws are here exercised in their utmost rigour in relation to woman. If a woman bear no children or only daughters, the husband can divorce her and take another wife. It is good to add that this custom is not followed by the more educated classes. In many families the birth of a girl is viewed with great disappointment.

The community of Tripoli is very poor and can give very little assistance to the great numbers of wretched and suffering people. A very few are quite wealthy. Others enjoy a moderate income. The greater part of the Jewish population consists of workmen and the poverty-stricken. There is room for a large philanthropic service, but we have not the means.

The love of knowledge and education is not greatly developed here. People are content with what they learn at chool. They are not interested in reading, and if they do read, they prefer novels, especially very light ones. A newly founded jewish society of young men, the "Gioventu Israelitica Tripolina," is planning to establish a large library.

Many families are disinclined to send their girls to attend technical or gymnasium classes. It is considered sufficient if they have attended some of the elementary classes. The important thing for a Jewish girl here is to know how to do housework. It is felt that too much learning takes a woman away from home and household duties.

A great number of our poor girls are employed as servants in families. What they can spare of their wages after giving a portion of it to their own needy families, is saved for their dowry. And the dowry usually consists of some golden medals sewed on a black velvet collar, worn about the neck; of bracelets of gold and silver; of earrings; and a heavy silver belt. On festivals when they put on their finest things they wear their dowry, and if they have not gold enough, they borrow some from their friends. It is the ambition of every girl to have as many medals as possible. It means that the task of finding a husband will be made easier. The dowry that is built up after so many years of work on the part of the poor wife is often swallowed up in a short time, if the husband is out of employment, or if he indulges too greatly in drink and other vicious habits.

Customs here are still patriarchal. Social life is limited by the four walls of the house or by a room if the family is a poor one. Large parties of friends and relatives are invited for the family's happy occasions. Money and provisions are distributed among the poor, who invoke blessings upon the birds or upon the new-born son. When death comes the gate of the house is opened and whoever desires may enter. The women conduct themselves in a very hysterical and uncontrolled manner. Money and provisions are distributed among the needy if the person is very ill or upon a sad anniversary.

The women exercise a maternal attitude toward their servants. They advise them in the choice of a husband, they help them in preparing their trousseau, and they comfort them in their sorrows. Between the wife of a household and the servant there prevails an affectionate tie so that when a death occurs in the house of her master, the servant is one of the first to scream, and for a happy event the first to give expression of joy.

Of religion our women know only the traditional rites about food and the festivals, rites that often degenerate among ignorant people into odd superstitions. It is thought to be a sin for a woman to study about her faith. The community here is orthodox, but a liberal current has been introduced by the organization of the "Gioventu Israelitica Tripolina."

Hygienic conditions here have greatly improved since the Italian occupation. The Italian doctors are devoting themselves to the fight against disease, but they have also to combat many prejudices, obstinate superstitions which often prove fatal to the patient.

In the miserable streets of the Hara, where the less educated group of Jews live, it is very sad to see so many people with their eyes affected with trachoma. How many blind there are here! Tuberculosis kills off many, tuberculosis favoured by want of food and pure air. A poor family, even though it be a large one, has only one room in which to sleep and live. If an epidemic breaks out in Tripoli, it takes a great share of its victims in the Hara.

There is a great need for protective work among girls. In May, 1912, a few women founded a society for the purpose of carrying out such a programme to include the teaching of trades and educational classes. The society was called "Lavoro e Virtu, Patronato Giovaile Israelitico." There were classes in sewing, embroidery, dressmaking and lace.

"Lavoro e Virtu" could not continue for reasons of which I shall speak further on. The institution was given to the "Industrie Feminile" of Rome. This society, having the means, has enlarged the embroidery work. Very beautiful and artistic things are made, inspired by some of the natives' garments. A course in Italian was introduced. The girls learn to make useful and artistic things for which they are well paid, and thus secure the necessary leisure to attend elementary classes.

We have just formed a new society, "La Societe Israelitica Feminile." We have a comprehensive programme, the protection of children and girls, with a view to develop them culturally and for furthering their moral education through Judaism. We want to elevate the soul of the Tripolitan Jewish woman.

The work is more difficult here than elsewhere for several reasons. First, for want of means; secondly, there is a scarcity of women who can devote themselves to this cause and programme. Last, but not least, our programme is unpopular. Though the better class of Tripoli is composed almost entirely of Jews, all ideas of progress, of culture are not favoured here by the greater number of our co-religionists. In fact they discourage such a programme as we have inaugurated. We are convinced, however, that we shall triumph in the end.

She Trains Her Husband

By MYRA ROSE

"A husband is how you train him."

Well Mashe remembered the warning her neighbours had given her when she came to America to marry Sam.

But Mashe had never heeded the advice. In the first place, she had no desire to train anyone. She was small, brown-haired, placid, with a soft curve to her smooth cheek, and she was best fitted to silent adoration. Besides, why train Sam? He was kind, of orderly habits, and a faithful provider.

On one important issue only they disagreed.

"I am an American," Sam had announced soon after their marriage, "just an American."

"Yes—but you're a Jew too," Mashe interposed gently.

"What for a Jew? Here there's room only for Americans; and you, too, Mashe, will have to lose your foreign ways."

What could Mashe do? She insisted upon her kosher home, and Sam did not interfere. He, on the other hand, amiably refused to enter the schul, even on the High Holidays.

All had gone peaceably enough even during their son's earliest childhood; but to-day, as Mashe sighed over her potato kugel, she wished she had heeded the neighbourly warning and "trained" her husband.

For that afternoon her eight-year old Solly had come home with an insistent question.

"Ma," he said, "Jakie Levine goes to Talmud Torah, an' every Sunday he gets a lolly-pop. Why can't I go?"

"Here's a penny for a lolly-pop," Mashe said hastily. How could she tell him that his father object to Hebrew school —"on principle"?

"I don' wanna penny. He gets pink olly-pops an' books with pictures. Why can't I go?"

Solly began to cry. Mashe tried to comfort him. She was just succeeding by means of a huge piece of cake and an apple, when the odour of something burning caused her to spring to the oven.

"Gevald! My kugel!" she gasped, and pulled it out quickly. The customary luscious brown crust was an ugly black. The kugel was ruined!

"Solly, this minute you should take the cake and go!" she ordered—and there was fire in her eye.

And the fire smoldered there until after supper when Solly was asleep and Sam settled down to his paper.

Sam had sensed trouble, in spite of Mashe's denials. Now she closed the kitchen door softly and planted herself before her husband.

"Put down your paper," she commanded, her cheeks glowing. He obeyed wonderingly.

"I want our Solly should go to Hebrew school," she began. Sam looked annoyed.

"Mashe, you know I told you I want he should learn to be only an American."

"But he's a Jew, too," she said steadily, "and his mother's a Jew, and —his father—even his father—is a Jew."

"I'm not!" he declared, "I'm an American, pure and simple." Mashe laughed shortly.

"No, Sam. Our boy, our American-born son, if he is brought up a good Jew will also be a good American. The two go together. But you? You look Jewish, you speak with a Jewish accent, you read the Jewish papers, you eat Jewish food. There's nothing in you except the Jew—and you won't let it come out! That's why you're a—nothing!"

Sam had had a hard day at the shop, his favourite kugel had been burned, and he was generally irritable.

"I said No!" he shouted. "That settles it. In fact, it wouldn't hurt you if you became a little Americanized," he added. "It's time you gave up your old-fashioned ways!"

Mashe had gone too far to retreat.

"My old-fashioned ways!" she repeated, her voice ascending until it cracked. "What you want is not an American, but an AMERIKANER, one of those foreigners who forgets her mother's ways and her grandmother's ways, and is neither fish nor flesh—an Amerikanke with painted cheeks, who chews gum and thinks only of clothes, not of living a good, useful life! LIEBER GOTT—that's what you want—an AMERIKANER!" She banged the door begind her.

Sam listened. Silence. And all the supper dishes were piled in the sink. He tried to read—then he listened again. At last, with a shrug of resignation, he got up and began to wash the dishes.

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Sam opened the house door furtively. Would Mashe be at home? He hardly knew whether he wished she were or not. The flat was deserted. He slumped into a chair dejectedly.

Since her strange outburst two weeks before, Mashe had been entirely incomprehensible. It had started the very next day.

When he returned from his work he found an empty home. No Mashe appeared, so he ransacked the ice-box for his wife's excellent cookery. He found only a can of salmon. Canned food! Never before had he seen any in his home. He grew hungrier and angrier by the minute; he prepared to reprove Mashe none too gently, and had just attacked his tasteless meal when his wife appeared leading Solly by the hand.

But what a Mashe! Red cheeks and rouged lips, short skirt and new hat.

"I never saw such a good picture," she remarked cheerily, and took out her powder-puff.

Sam was aghast.

"Mashe!" he ejaculated. "What has come over you?"

"What's wrong? You don't like my new hat?"

"Why you look—like—like— —"

"Like an AMERIKANKE? You said I should lose my old-fashioned ways. I've lost them!"

"But I didn't mean—! Paint powder—"

Mashe surveyed him coldly.

"—and you didn't leave me any supper," he finished weakly.

"No? A real American supper. All the neighbours cook with cans. It's the style. Why should I stand all day over the pots? Better I'll see a good movie."

"The pots were good enough for your mother," he grumbled.

"Yes? But I thought you believe in throwing away the 'old-world ideas' of our parents. No more pots for me."

All of this was bad enough. To make matters worse, when he tried to forget his troubles by burying himself in his paper, Mashe gently pulled it away and substituted an English paper.

"Only American papers you should bring to the house," she said. "Nothing Jewish."

Sam protested, but Mashe was looking at him earnestly out of her great brown eyes. His own argument! He was too angry to speak. He took the paper and began his laborious reading of the day's news.

This had continued now for two weeks. Things were growing steadily worse. Every evening, on his return he found the house deserted. A careful hunt revealed nothing but a can of salmon. Each day Mashe's paint got a little thicker and her skirts a trifle shorter. All things Jewish were taboo. She declined to speak Yiddish, she refused to prepare Jewish food, she prevented his reading the Jewish paper at night. And each evening, shortly before eight, she appeared with Solly, talking of the latest movie.

Sam sat there desperate. The thought of canned salmon was so distasteful that he made no attempt to go to the ice-box. He tried to read his precious Jewish paper, but he could not concen-

Social Life about 25 Years Ago— Do You Remember?—

At the twenty-third annual meeting of the Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society of Montreal the following officers were elected: Sarah Rubenstein, president; Dora Lazarus, vice-president; Julie Fischel, treasurer; Ray Rubenstein, honorary secretary; trustees: Katherine De Sola, Sarah Fischel, Fanny Hart, Rachel Workman, Miriam Friedman, Fanny Harris, Miriam Schwersenski. Advisory board: J. Scherman, S. Fischel, D. A. Ansell, I. Rubenstein. The following had donated clothing for the poor: Mesdames H. Joseph, M. E. Davis, B. A. Boas, A. A. Sandeman, M. de Sola, C. Workman, M. Workman, G. Fischel, S. Fischel, D. S. Friedman, Samuel, E. Lichtenhein, D. Lazarus, J. C. Silver, H. Wener, Misses Davids, Rubenstein. There was a cash balance of over $2,000. An entertainment was given at the McGill College Avenue Synagogue at which M. Tannenbaum was chairman and I. Silverston choirmaster. Recitations were given by Henry Levy, Bernard Gordon and Leah Lesser. Miss Bessie Morris played selections from "Carmen" on the piano. I. Tannenbaum read an essay and Harry Cohen, Mosie Bernstein, Nattie Cohen, Arthur Markus and Joe Vineberg recited poems. S. Kellert sang and recitations were given in Hebrew and English by Minnie Bernstein, Lily Cohen, Sam Gordon, Mosie Gordon, Dora Morris and Rosa Kert. Miss Ray Tannenbaum played "Norma" and Miss Eva Vineberg recited "Le Vieux Temps." E. Silverstone sang and the school committee was: M. Tannenbaum, M. L. Morris, E. L. Rosenthal and Lyon Cohen. An illuminated address prepared by Leon Goldman was presented to E. Gordon, vice-principal of the school. It was signed by M. L. Morris, chairman and I. D. Holofcener, S. M. Glickman, M. Tannebaum and L. Goldman. Mrs. Chas. Redlich was ill from rheumatism. Harris Wener was home from Europe. Lazarus Cohen was at Mount C emens after a severe attack of neuralgia. Mr. and Mrs. J. Michaels, Miss Rosa Ethel Michaels and Lillian Silver were planning to leave for Europe. Those taking part in a concert at the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue were: Mrs. Levi, Miss Rubenstein, Miss Langstaff, E. Lebel, Mendoza Langlois. At Professor Goulet's Symphony Orchestra Concert Miss Sophie Myers played Liszt's Second Rhapsody and Miss Beckie Kellert sang.

trate. This evening, he decided, he would talk matters over with Mashe. He could stand it no longer. But how handle this new Mashe?

The door opened—and Sam could scarcely believe his eyes. There was his wife, his OLD-FASHIONED wife, with the smooth hair and neat dress and fresh pink cheeks. He gasped for joy.

"Mashe," he cried, "have you left that—terrible painted being behind—for ever?"

She nodded.

"What's the use?" she lamented softly. "I thought you would wake up to the fact that this AMERIKANKE life was not for you, but—"

"Wake up! Haven't I! Never say that word again! I want my good little Jewish wife and my—Jewish paper—" beseechingly, "and my Jewish food."

Mashe smiled.

"Your wife is here; your paper you got—and your food— Didn't you look in the ice-box?"

She brought forth one after another his favourite dishes.

"Mashe," he sighed incredulously. "A potato KUGEL!"

She watched him while he ate with the relish of a starved man.

"Mashe," he said, between mouthfuls. "I've been thinking. We've got to be what we are. I was wrong. Forgetting my Jewishness did not make me a better American. You know—I've been thinking—if you like, you can send our Solly to Hebrew school."

"I want you should be a good example to him," she said. She added, hastily: "As for Hebrew school—well, I never went to the movies. Each night I called for Solly. Two weeks now he has already been going to the Talmud Torah—. My paint I put on next door before I came in. In the street you thought I went like that?"

Sam looked up quizzically for a moment—then shaking his head, returned to his delicious supper.

Thus Mashe trained her husband.

Dr. Hyman I. Goldstein, of Camden, N.J., attended the recent sessions of the Association for the study of Internal Secretions and American Therapeutic Society at Atlantic City, and read a paper dealing with a malady to which he has devoted considerable research. Dr. Goldstein has just been nominated on a Democratic ticket for Coroner of Camden County.

The Executive Committee of the Federation of Ukrainian Jews in Great Britain, which has been functioning since 1919, is drafting plans for the continuation of its relief efforts in Russia.

The "Arbeiter Press," organ of the Austrian Hakenkreuzler, is publishing the names of the leading Austrian Jews with a view to singling them out as prospective victims of this anti-Semitic band.

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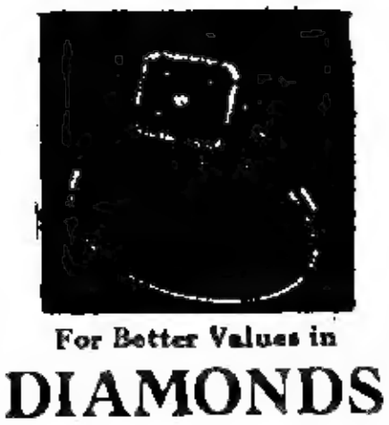

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The Polish-Jewish Entente

At the time when Poland was created an independent republic, with the approval of the great Powers, it was specifically stated in the agreement that the constitution of the new republic should guarantee the rights and liberties of the minorities living in Poland. Many will remember the very significant appendix which Clemenceau made to the Polish treaty, which made it very clear that unless Poland lives up to the terms of the agreement, both in letter and in spirit, she will forfeit the good will of France and of the other great Powers.

The dead letter, however, remained dead and Polish politics during the past six or seven years tended toward making the minorities, and especially the Jews, most uncomfortable and in the last few months the condition became so alarming that the government itself began to realize that it cannot proceed any longer on such a policy without arousing the enmity of all liberal-minded people. We had occasion from time to time to point out the economic and educational restrictions which were aimed specifically against the Jews and which led to suicides, failures and many other misfortunes which plunged the Jewish population in a state of despondency. The present administration in Poland began to manifest a certain uneasiness about this and sought to come to an understanding with the Jewish leaders of Poland. The immediate urge for such an understanding is said to be the need of the administration to obtain a loan abroad, which could only be secured when the reputation of Poland is not soiled in the minds of the liberal elements in world politics. It is, however, quite likely that outside of this material consideration the present administration is really anxious to establish peace and harmony among the various elements of the population and that the responsible ministers are moved by a genuine desire to have justice and equity operate in the land.

After the government leaders realized that the Jews would resent the interference of outside influence, which was sought at first, they agreed to conduct negotiations with the accredited representatives of the Jews, the elected members of the Seim. The negotiations continued for several weeks, mainly because the demands of the government were not regarded honourable by the Jewish deputies, but also because it was difficult to find an agreement among the various parties among the Jews themselves. Fortunately, the agreement has finally been adopted and proclaimed in the Polish press. According to this, the government promises to restore all the rights assured to the Jews by the constitution, to permit the use of other languages besides the Polish in Jewish public gatherings, to restore the various concessions given to Jews in the monopolies of the government, to restore to office all Jews who have been dismissed because they were Jews, to provide for the employment of a Jewish representative in the national bank, the annulment of all circulars issued by the Ministry of Education and by the Ministry of War, which aim at restricting the rights of Jewish students and soldiers and several other points which have been causes of annoyance to the Jewish population of Poland. On the other hand, the Jewish deputies promised to support the government in all matters of national welfare, to stimulate a more friendly attitude towards Poland among the Jews of foreign countries and to assist in furthering the prestige of Poland among the nations of the world.

This is indeed a unique incident in Jewish history. That an independent government should deal with a section of its citizens in the same manner as if these citizens were themselves members of another independent nationality appears so strange to us and even suspicious. However, we cannot judge conditions in Eastern Europe by the standards of democracy obtaining in Anglo-Saxon countries. This entente, arrived at after much struggle and tribulation, should be regarded with joy and as a great achievement on the part of the Jewish deputies who succeeded not only in convincing the government of their just demands, but also in bringing about an understanding among the various elements of the Jewish population in Poland, which augurs well for the future development of the Jewish community in that land.

The Polish Minister of Finance is on his way to America in order to obtain a loan for Poland in this country. It was rumored that Dr. Leon Reich, the leader of the Jewish section in the Polish Seim, would accompany him. It is not gracious to speculate as to what the result of the agreement will be if the loan is not obtained. We may assume that the agreement will stand and become operative immediately, without reference to any good that might accrue from it to the government in its present predicament. There can be no doubt, however, that the position of the Jews in Poland will be greatly strengthened by the success of the present mission of Minister Skrzyinsky.

PREDICAMENT OF THE JEWS IN BULGARIA

In a recent issue of the Juedische Zeitung (Breslau), a correspondent from Sofia describes the precarious condition of the Jews in Bulgaria. The Foreign Minister, Kalfow, has been travelling through Europe in order to establish better relations between Bulgaria and the liberal governments of Europe. Everywhere he was confronted with the problem of justifying the attitude of the Bulgarian Government to the Jews. Kalfow tried to throw the blame of the maltreatment of the Jews on the communistic adherents in the land. The method employed by the antisemites in Bulgaria differs from that of their peers in other lands. They terrorize the Jewish population by demanding of them large sums of money. These repressions have gone on for some time and the government, when appealed to, expressed itself as unable to prevent it and often advised the Jews to accede to the demands for "their own good." The government further instructs the Jewish leaders not to publish these facts abroad, and when these become known, to issue formal denials in the press. The Bulgarian press never publishes news of that nature, and the only source of information regarding the repressions practised against the Jews is Greece from where these reports come, to the annoyance of the Bulgarian police. Recently kidnapping was resorted to in order to extract money from the Jews and in every case of that kind the police declared itself unable to locate the culprits or to execute punishment on them. The recent catastrophe at Sofia, in which a Russian Jew, Marco Friedman, was implicated, has given added food for the antisemitic press to fan hatred against the Jews. No positive evidence against Friedman was presented at the trial, still he was given the death penalty because of his connection with the communists. Many Jews are preparing to leave the country and the proportion of Jews from Bulgaria going to Palestine has been by far greater than from any other country.

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Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Frankel and family, Isabella Street, are at their summer home in Lake Joseph, Muskoka.

Misses Edna Frankel, Wellesley Street, and Miss Ethel Goldstein, Lyndhurst Avenue, are at Fairview Cottage, Whitby, for ten days.

Mrs. A. Levy and daughter, Leola, St. Clair Avenue West, are at Old Orchard Beach, Maine.

Mrs. A. Brodey, Wellwood Avenue, is spending three weeks at Old Orchard Beach, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Draimin, Howland Avenue, and Mrs. Julius Eisman, Poplar Plains Road, motored to Fenelon Falls over the week-end to visit their sons at camp.

Miss Leola Levy, of Rochester, returned home on Saturday, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. S. Lavine and daughter, Ruth, of Dunvegan Road, who spent the week-end in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hermant, Cluny Drive, are on a motor trip.

Mrs. M. S. Stein, Regal Road, has left for a three weeks' stay at Old Orchard Beach, Maine.

Mrs. Leo Englander and daughter, Yvonne Auerbach, Heathdale Road, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Kahn, Clifton Road, motored to Bobcaygeon over the week-end.

Phillip Goldblatt, of New York, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jack Perkins, Palmerston Boulevard.

Mrs. M. A. Pollock, Rushton Road, entertained at five tables of bridge on Thursday evening in honour of her sister, Mrs. Daniel Shabell, of New York.

Miss Yvonne Auerbach, Heathdale Road, entertained a few friends Thursday evening.

Mrs. Phillip Kauffman, Nina Avenue, gave a dinner party on Monday last in honour of Mrs. S. Cohen and Mrs. O. Cohen, of Rochester, N.Y.

Cecil Simonsky, Brunswick Avenue, is vacationing in Florida for a month.

Miss Bertie Boyaner, of St. John, N.B., who is going to Vancouver, B.C., for the winter, spent several days in town as the guest of Mrs. J. Creed and Miss Evelyn Moscovitz at Centre Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Danson, Jameson Avenue, spent the week-end in Hamilton.

Leo Englander, Heathdale Road, who was in New York for several weeks, is expected home this week.

Among those who entertained this week in honour of Miss Jennie Pullan, a bride of next month, were: Miss Annie Smith, St. George Street, luncheon; Mrs. L. Markus, St. Clair Avenue West, bridge, Wednesday afternoon; Mrs. Bernstein, Oakwood Avenue, bridge, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Prager and family, Vermont Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Speyer and family are summering at Tent City.

Mrs. A. Cornfield, of Detroit, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cornfield, Gerrard Street, for a few weeks.

Sam Shenkman, of Montreal, is spending a week at Belle Ewart, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross.

Mrs. William Rosenthal and daughter, Sadye, Wells Hill Avenue, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Browne, of Buffalo, for a few days. They motored back with Mr. Rosenthal, who spent Sunday there.

Miss Fanny Schwartz, Palmerston Boulevard, spent the week-end with Miss Esther Keyletz at Belle Ewart.

Mrs. J. R. Lisson, of New York, has returned from Twelve o'Clock Point, where she visited her sister, Mrs. M. J. Kammon, and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Willinsky, Bernard Avenue. Mr. Lisson is expected in town during the week-end for two weeks.

Misses Mae and Frances Stein, Queen Street West, spent the week-end at Tent City.

Miss Anna Caplan, Palmerston Avenue, entertained at a tea garden in honour of her cousin, Miss Anna Indursky, of Brooklyn, N.Y.

Miss Berdie Messinger, Beverley Street, is visiting in Thorold, Ont.

Miss Norma Gertzbein, Robert Street, and Miss Rose Lieberman, of New York, motored to Buffalo for a few days.

Mrs. Joseph Potar, of New York, the guest of Mrs. I. Rothbart, Grenadier Road, is returning home on Saturday.

Among those who entertained this week for Miss Selma Davis, a bride of this week, and Sidney Tennanbaum, were: Mrs. Meyer Goodman, Arlington Avenue, dinner, Friday evening; Misses Pauline Soltz and Beatrice Muller, luncheon and theatre on Saturday; Mrs. Jack Carrick, Westmount Avenue, farewell dance, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Cohen, Austin Terrace, entertained Friday evening last in honour of Phillip Goldblatt, of New York.

Mrs. H. Myron Marshack, Grenadier Road, returned Thursday from a ten days' stay in Detroit and Buffalo.

Cantor and Mrs. Saitz and family, Beverley Street, are at their summer home, Bala, Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horn, Beverley Street, have returned from a ten-day trip up the Saguenay.

Mrs. H. Rubin, Grimthorpe Road, entertained Friday afternoon in honour of Miss Susan Shapiro, of New York.

Lawrence Hutner, Brunswick Avenue, is returning home on Sunday from a motor trip to New York.

Dr. B. Willinsky, Bernard Avenue, is expected home on Sunday, after a three weeks' motor trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wolman and family, of Ossington Avenue, are now at 67 Appleton Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Muscovitch and family, Grace Street, are at their summer home in Bala, Muskoka.

Miss Eva Wilson, Centre Island, is spending a week in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Maldaver and Mr. and Mrs. O. Maldaver spent the week-end at Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Miss Lillian Starkman, Dundas Street West, is vacationing in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Paulin, Kingston Road, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wineberg, Bloor Street West, and Miss Anna Pearlstein, of Brooklyn, N.Y., motored to Niagara Falls over the week-end.

Mrs. D. Cass and daughter, Dora, Ashworth Avenue, are visiting in Altoona, Pa.

Mrs. Joseph E. Wagman, Indian Road, is visiting at Crystal Beach.

Miss Frances Thomas, Euclid Avenue, left Wednesday last to spend several weeks in Detroit.

Miss Leo Beube, of Hamilton, and Miss Dorothy Roswick, Simcoe Street, motored to Jackson's Point over the week-end to visit the former's mother, Mrs. M. Beube.

Mrs. James Samburg (nee Sylvia Keltz), of Detroit, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Keltz, Henry Street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Harris and family, Yorkville Avenue, are leaving to spend the summer at Bobcaygeon.

Mrs. R. Isenberg and daughters, Misses Mildred and Leah, of Philadelphia, who were the guests of Mrs. A. Fox, 90 Brunswick Avenue, returned home on Wednesday.

The Community Garden Club, 44 St. George Street, held a picnic at High Park on Monday.

Mrs. Jack Yasny, Crawford Street, entertained at bridge Tuesday last in honour of Miss Ina Gillman and Mrs. B. Goldenberg, of Cleveland, Ohio. The prize-winners were Misses Dora Goldman and Ina Gillman.

Mrs. Daniel Shabell, of New York, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Teich, Rushton Road, is returning home on Saturday.

Mrs. Kashin and children, of Buffalo, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Muscovitch, at Bala, Muskoka.

Mrs. R. Allender and children, of Detroit, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. L. A. Maldaver, Mount Royal Avenue.

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MONTREAL

Mr. and Mrs. S. Heller, Brunswick Avenue, accompanied by Louis Fine, motored to Sarnia for a week.

Miss Ida Greenspan, of New York, the guest of Mrs. J. H. Davis, High Park Boulevard, has returned home.

Mrs. A. Hanisch, Douglas Drive, entertained at three tables of bridge on Thursday afternoon last. Prizes were won by Mrs. O. Maidaver and Mrs. Sidney Miller.

David Stitt and baby, of Fort William, are expected here on Friday to join Mrs. Stitt, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Fingerhet, Brunswick Avenue.

L. Jacobs, Indian Road, left Monday for New York and will sail on the S.S. "America" on Wednesday for a month's stay in Europe.

Miss Helen Frank, of Hamilton, spent the week-end in Tent City, the guest of the Pragers.

William Herman, of New Liskeard, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. J. Ross, of Belle Ewart.

Miss Molly Foreman, Queen Street West, has returned from a six weeks' trip to Chicago.

Mrs. C. Cohen and Mrs. O. Cohen, of Rochester, N.Y., are the guests of Mrs. G. Fineman, Palmerston Boulevard.

Among those who entertained this week for Miss Rhea Curtiss, of Cleveland, Ohio, who is visiting her aunts, Mrs. A. and Mrs. C. M. Pritzker, were: Mrs. B. Enushevsky, Mrs. Phillip Pritzker Bolton Avenue; Misses Rohamma and Leah Seigel, Lee Avenue, and Mrs. Charles Pritzker, informal and dance, Peter Osler.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rosenberg (nee Sophia Kenning) have returned from their honeymoon trip and are at the Kew Beach lake front for the summer.

Miss Alice Ellenson, Ossington Avenue, is leaving during the week-end to spend two weeks in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Skolnick are summering at the Lake Shore Road, Centre Island.

Miss Rose Leff, of London, who was the guest of Miss Dora Wilensky, Ontario Street, returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Blackstone, Professor and Mrs. Gaza de Cresz and Boris Hambourg are occupying Chester Massey's house in Newcastle.

Miss Faye Samuels, Cecil Street, is leaving for New York City to visit her sister, Miss Mary Samuels, who is in training at the Mount Sinai Hospital.

Miss Anne Scher Crawford Street, has as her guest Miss Freda Pollack, of Detroit. Mrs. Sol. Eisen and her mother Mrs. Eli Dunkelman are at Jackson's Point with Mrs. Charles James.

Miss Belle Levy, Bathurst Street, has left to spend a few weeks at Old Orchard Beach, Maine.

Mrs. M. Pearlman, Glenholme Avenue left on a motor trip to Burlington, Vermont.

Mrs. D. Brown, Ossington Avenue, has returned from a month's stay in Mount Clemens, Mich.

Sol Eisen was in Montreal over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Peterman, Queen Street West, are back from Miami, Florida, after a few weeks' stay.

Misses Pauline Soltz and Beatrice Muller entertained at a luncheon and theatre party Saturday afternoon, in honour of Miss Lillian Zuckernick, of New York.

Miss Ruth Bookman, Graham Gardens, was with Miss Dollie Levinter, at their summer home in Oakville over the week-end.

Miss Eva Scher, of Buffalo is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. Steinberg, Northcliffe Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Narrol, Beverley Street, have left to spend several weeks in Mount Clemens.

Mrs. M. Stopeck, Coxwell Avenue, has returned home from a two weeks' stay at Sparrow Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cadesky and Mrs. Rose Berg, Borden Street, are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Harry Langer, at Burlington Beach.

Miss Ruth L. Pritzker, Munro Park, has returned from Cleveland, Ohio, where she visited her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Curtiss.

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Misses Shirley and Florence Goldstein, Keele Street, are at Crystal Beach for a few weeks' vacation.

Mrs. M. Elman, of Montreal, is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kluger, Dovercourt Road.

Misses Mary and Millie Miller, Palmerston Avenue, are spending a month in Belle Ewart.

Miss Emma Kauffman, Ellerbeck Avenue, has returned from Montreal, where she visited Miss Faye Redlick.

Miss Norma Goldsmith, Rusholme Road, has returned home from Belle Ewart.

Mrs. H. Brody, Walmer Road, visited Mrs. A. Winestein, of Hamilton, for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis, High Park Boulevard, were on a fishing trip to Port Severn over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen and family, Geoffrey Street, have left to spend a few weeks at Crystal Beach.

Miss Anna Goldblatt, Grenadier Road, motored to Owen Sound over the week-end.

Mrs. I. Browne, of Youngstown, Ohio, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. Rosenthal, Wells Hill Avenue, and will attend the Rosenthal-Pullan wedding on August 4th.

Mrs. M. Rotenberg, 340 Palmerston Boulevard, is visiting in New York for two weeks.

Misses Mary Allender and Saidie Freedman spent the week-end at Burlington Beach.

Miss Mildred Rabinowitz, of New York, is the guest of Miss Frances Shonsky, Simcoe Street.

Miriam Kellem, Esther Frumharz, Ruth Lipsom, Velma Kauffman and Teddy Lipsom held a bazaar on Wednesday, July 15th, at 501 Crawford Street, in aid of the Nova Scotia miners. $19.00 was realized and sent on through the Workmen's Circle, Peretz Schools.

BNAI BRITH FRESH-AIR CAMP

The Bnai Brith Boys' Camp opened with ninety boys, on July 5. M. E. Williams is director; M. M. Cohen, chief counselor; N. W. Bronstein and J. Gollom, assistant counselors; Mrs. M. E. Williams, camp mother. Friday evening service was conducted by the boys, with an address by the chief counselor. Abe Cohen, guest of honour, offered a prize for the boy writing a hundred-word essay, "My Two Weeks in Camp." The Saturday morning service was also conducted by the boys. Assistant Councillor J. Gollom spoke.

On Sunday, July 12, was field day. Prizes were distributed and Mark G. Cohen presided.

Among other guests were Mrs. M. M. Cohen, Mrs. Rabinovitch, of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Silverman, of Hamilton, and Rabbi Freund, of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Brody and party; Mr. and Mrs. Sol. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Mark G. Cohen, I. Freedman, Mr. and Mrs. Dolgoff, and Ralph Raphael, president of the Big Brother organization. A sheet edited by the boys, containing news items and criticism, is posted daily. A general verdict of the boys was that this camp was the "best yet."

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THE CANADIAN HEBREW LADIES' AUXILIARY

The Canadian Hebrew Ladies' Auxiliary held their closing meeting for the season Wednesday, July 8, as a social and card party. Refreshments. Prizes. The Auxiliary also gave a picnic on Wednesday afternoon, July 15, at Centre Island for the mothers and children, members only. The children were given souvenirs.

THE LATE BENJAMIN WEINRIP aged twenty-eight, who was killed by inhaling acid fumes while he slept. The services were held at the Henry Street Synagogue. Rabbi Jacob Gordon and Cantor Wiadowsky officiated. Interment was held at the Polish Cemetery, Yonge Street, Sunday, at 2 o'clock. He is survived by two brothers, Albert Weinrip, of Boston, Murray Weinrip, of Toronto, and three sisters, Mrs. L. Fishman, of New York, Mrs. L. M. Schwartz and Mrs. F. Paskowitz, of Toronto

ENGAGEMENTS

Mrs. A. Franklin, Toronto, formerly of London, England, announces the engagement of her daughter, Mildred Vivian, to Harry Stein, of Toronto, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stein, of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Weiner announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Gertrude, to Louis Sibolsky, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fine, Crawford Street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Sylvia, to Sam B. Rosenbloom, of New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rosenbloom, of Toronto. Marriage August 2.

BORN

On Wednesday, July 15, at the Toronto General Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Isador Fried (nee Helen Fried), 65 Glenview Avenue, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. D. Dunkleman, Rowanwood Avenue, at their summer home, Roches' Point, Saturday, July 11, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. I. Steinberg (nee Charlotte Scher), of 23 Northcliffe Boulevard, on Friday, July 17, a daughter, at the Toronto General Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Dinaberg, 39 Galley Avenue, on Friday, July 17, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. M. Robins (nee D. Iseman), 91 Grange Avenue, a daughter, at the Western Hospital, on July 9.

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Mrs. Sarah Schleifer will unveil a stone in memory of her late husband, Max Schliefer, at the Sons of Jacob Cemetery, Dawes Road, on July 26. Friends and relatives will meet at 803 Manning Avenue at 11 a.m.

JEWISH COLONISTS IN RUSSIA

The project to raise a large sum of money in this country for the purpose of extending the movement to settle Jews on land in Southern Russia has been severely criticized in Zionist circles and formed one of the topics of discussion at the recent Zionist convention in Washington. It will no doubt also engage the attention of Zionist leaders at the next Zionist congress in Vienna. The fact has recently been brought out that this project is not based upon any political plans, but is actually the only possible means of saving Russian Jews from utter economic ruin. At a gathering in Minsk recently it was established that more than one-fourth of the Jewish population of White Russia is practically without any means of livelihood and that the poverty and destitution of the general Jewish public is most appalling. The Jews themselves rush to the farms, hoping thereby to eke out some existence for themselves and their families. These Jews cannot go to Palestine and if they could it is questionable whether they would be welcomed there. By extending the plan for Jewish settlement on the soil, it is hoped that many of them will be able to obtain a livelihood. The Soviet Government is apparently well disposed toward the plan and the reports brought by Dr. Rosen and Mr. Brown would justify the investment of additional capital in order to save the thousands of Jewish lives that are now on the brink of ruin.

ALBERT EINSTEIN ON THE SCOPES CASE

Prof. Albert Einstein, of Berlin, Germany, broke a silence which he has lately rigidly maintained toward the press, in order to express his views on the Scopes case, according to a despatch to the Public Ledger.

"The whole case seems to be ridiculous," he said, "but there is a shameful fact in it and that is that freedom at universities is being restricted and professors molested."

He added, with a twinkle, "I must confess I feel a certain satisfaction in observing that the hostile reactionary spirit from which I myself suffered so much is not limited to these lands, but also manifests itself elsewhere. Stupidity knows no national boundaries.

"According to all standards of civilization any curtailing of freedom to think is scandalous. I do not know what laws exist according to the letter of which professors or teachers can be prosecuted, and I hope the courts will not condemn Mr. Scopes, but even if under the law they are bound to do so, right-thinking people should work that the laws be changed."

The French Consul in Alexandria, yielding to the representations of a deputation of Jews, Moslems and Christians, removed Father Leonas, a teacher, for teaching the blood ritual myth.

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During June, the following certificates were issued by the Headquarters of the Jewish National Fund in Canada: In Montreal—5 dunam for Raya Edna Goldman, Montreal, and Manuel Prenner, Rochester, on their marriage, June 7; 1 dunam each, by Dominion Hadassah, Mrs. Ethel Matthews and Mrs. Elizabeth Cooperstone, for services to Hadassah, by the North End Chapter; half dunam each, Miss Yetta Ness, on her marriage, Mrs. L. Hertzig, for services to Hadassah, by the Rachel Chapter of Hadassah; one-half dunam each, Mrs. L. Hertzig, Mrs. Bertha Brownstein, by the North End Chapter; one-half dunam, Sophie Wolofsky and Leon Crestohl, on their wedding, June 18, by the Central Chapter of Hadassah; one-quarter dunam each for Mesdames Jennie Averbach, Esther Black, Zine Poyaner, Sarah Taub, Rose Ringel, for services to Hadassah, by the North End Chapter; one-quarter dunam each for Bee Helen Taffert and Emanuel Jack Levin, on their wedding, June 10, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bazaar, on their fifteenth anniversary, June 22, by the Queen Esther Chapter of Hadassah; three-twentieths dunam each for Mesdames Ruth Ornstein, Sara Margolis, Clara Maletz, Rosie Morritzer, for services to Hadassah, by the North End Chapter; 25 trees for Mrs. M. Garfinkle, for services to Hadassah, by the Queen Esther Chapter; 5 trees each for Joshua Hyam Fitch, born March 14, and Felice Rockstein, born April 5, by Dominion Hadassah; 5 trees each for Mesdames Dora Schwartz, Sabina Grossman, Rebecca Smerlin, for services to Hadassah, by the Judith Chapter; 3 trees each for Mrs. Rose Covinsky, Mrs. Fannie Pearl, Mrs. Sonya Mandel, for services to Hadassah, Leah Rosenthal, on her marriage, June 15; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Baron, on their marriage, by the Judith Chapter; 3 trees for Mrs. A. Rombach, for services to Hadassah, by Sybil Cohen Chapter; 3 trees each, Mesdames E. Berzan, M. Bernstein, S. Rosenfeld, B. Horlick, H. Ness, for services to Hadassah, Rachel Chapter; 2 trees each, Mesdames M. Seigel, C. Marks, S. Ness, N. Bronze, M. Booth, B. Rosenzweig, A. Nadler, S. Carpin, for services, Rachel Chapter; 1 tree, Naomi Pirsky, by the Rachel Chapter; 1 tree, Rose of Sharon Chapter, by Sara Strasberg, in memory of Rachel Isaakschn, who died January 16, 1921, by Esther; in memory of Sara Leah Bernstein, by the family; 1 tree each, Shirley Marks, Roslyn Greenwood, Jack Lax, by the Miriam Brainin Ortenberg Chapter of Hadassah.

In Toronto: 1 dunam, Myer Spiegel, on his bar-mitzvah, June 14, relatives and friends; 13 trees, Joseph Dunkelman, on his bar-mitzvah, January 17, Dominion Hadassah; 25 trees, Central Chapter of Hadassah, for services, Toronto Hadassah Council; 10 trees, Heral Girls of Hadassah; 5 trees each, Murray Abramowitz, on his bar-mitzvah, May 6, Central Chapter of Hadassah; Beth Hamidrah Hagodol Chevra Thillum Synagogue; Canadian Hebrew Benevolent Society; 3 trees, Leah Stein, Minka Stein and Cheine Schipper, by D. Stein; 3 trees, Frankel Bros.; 1 tree each, Lucille Robins, born April 18, by her grandmother, Mrs. H. Kamarner; Meyer Spiegel, by the Ladies' Auxiliary, McCaul Street Synagogue; Rasha Pollak, by L. Pollak; Masha Pincus Shulman, by Mr. Weinstein; Pia Papernick, by H. Breslin and Mrs. B. Papernick; Perele Kertzer, by Mr. Kertzer. In La Tuque, Que.: 1 tree, N. Surokaky. Ansonville, Ont.: 3 trees for I. Garber; 3 trees, Baby N. Nossov.

In Winnipeg: One-half dunam, Shayne Feiga Kahanovitch and Rabbi Sholem Pincus Wohlgelernter, on their marriage, June 23, by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Olvan, Chipman, Alta.: 18 trees, Shayne Feiga Kahanovitch and Rabbi Wohlgelernter, by the Winnipeg Chapter of Hadassah; in London, Ont.: 10 trees, Rose Leff, in honour of her graduation from the University of Westerr Ontario as the first Jewish graduate, inscribed by the Keron Hayesod Committee: 5 trees, Mrs. Mary Fishbein, for services to Hadassah, by the London Chapter of Hadassah; in Glace Bay, N.S.: 6 trees, Mrs. Betsy Gittleson, for services, by the Glace Bay Chapter of Hadassah on her departure for New York; Sydney, N.S.: 10 trees by the Sydney and Whitney Pier Zion Society, in commemoration of their tenth anniversary, April; Sackville, N.B.: 5 trees, Mrs. Ernestine Ross, for her interest in the cause, Dominion Hadassah; Quebec, Que.: 4 dunam, the Jewish community of Quebec; Estevan, Sask.: one-half dunam, Beulah Krivel, for her interest to the Jewish National Fund, Headquarters of the Jewish National Fund in Canada; Saskatoon, Sask.: 2 dunam, Saskatoon Chapter of Hadassah.

Prof. Felix Frankfurter, of Harvard Law School, attended a conference of lawyers and scientists in New York last Monday and Tuesday, who will help the defense in the trial of J. T. Scopes, the Dayton (Tenn.) high school teacher, charged with violating the Tennessee law prohibiting the teaching of evolution. The meeting took place at the office of Samuel Rosensohn, an attorney for the Civil Liberties Union.

JEWISH CALENDAR

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Rosh Chodesh Shvat	Monday, January 26th
Chamisho-osor b'Shvat	Monday, February 9th
*Rosh Chodesh Adar	Wednesday, February 25th
Purim	Tuesday, March 10th
Rosh Chodesh Nissan	Thursday, March 26th
1st day Pesach	Thursday, April 9th
7th day Pesach	Wednesday, April 15th
*Rosh Chodesh Iyar	Saturday, April 25th
Lag b'Omer	Tuesday, May 12th
Rosh Chodesh Sivan	Sunday, May 24th
1st day Shabuoth	Friday, May 29th
*Rosh Chodesh Tammuz	Tuesday, June 23rd
Fast of Tammuz	Thursday, July 9th
Rosh Chodesh Ab	Wednesday, July 22nd
Fast of Ab	Thursday, July 30th
*Rosh Chodesh Ellul	Friday, August 21st
Rosh Hashonah	Saturday, September 19th
Yom Kippur	Monday, September 28th
1st day Succoth	Saturday, October 3rd
Shemini Atzereth	Saturday, October 10th
Simchath Torah	Sunday, October 11th
*Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan	Monday, October 19th
*Rosh Chodesh Kislev	Wednesday, November 18th
1st day Chanukah	Saturday, December 12th
*Rosh Chodesh Tebeth	Friday, December 18th
Fast of Tebeth	Sunday, December 27th

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I only saw standing in the hall a swarthy man with dirty finger nails, a new suit with a grease spot or two on it, and a diamond stick pin. I led him to the wardrobe.

"How much will you give me for it?" I said.

He looked at my poor old wardrobe with its beautifully carved doors and sneak back—for all the world like an aristocratic old gentleman with a handsome face and a fine lineage, but no capacity for service—and shook his head.

"No, I couldn't use it! I vouldn't take it if you will pay me to take avay."

"But," I suggested mildly, "it's solid mahogany!"

"But vat use solid mahogany?" he asked me. "Solid mahogany vill not hold any clothes. My customers have rooming houses. Dey vant nice, new, oak vardrobes, vit drawers and looking glasses."

"But this is antique," I argued springing to the defense of my wardrobe.

"Dey do not care for antique. Dey vant things to put dey clothes in and to see derselves in. If I don't buy vat dey want in my business, den I make no profits."

"Oh, I have sold antiques," he hastened to explain. "One day a lady come and buy everything I have in my besement. She gave me de trouble to have it carried away. She say she going to have dem all fixed up for her house in Walnut Hills. But she did not pay me much. Ven de people come to my store, if dey rich or poor dey want to buy cheap. Antiques vould make me poor. De only antique I have is a samovar. I keep it because ve have one in de old country."

"The old country?" I asked him. "And you keep a samovar? Are you Russian?"

"No, Russian Jew."

Then I looked at the second-hand man more closely and saw that his face, though weather-beaten, was finely moulded, that there was something almost distinguished in the way his crisp black hair, threaded with gray, curled back from his high forehead.

"Do you like it here?" I asked him. Why must we always ask those who come to us from other lands the same insane question?

But the second-hand man was ready for me. He flung his head back as though he challenged anyone to contradict him, and his black eyes glowed.

"Dis is de finest country in de world."

"Better even than old country?" Another silly question which really, perhaps, wasn't any of my business.

The second-hand man carefully removed his coat and laid it on a chair. He placed his hat on top of it and then turned toward me, as though ready for a sparring match.

"Better," he said, "it is de best country in de world. Dey all good countries. England is a good country. France is a good country. Russia is a good country, but a bad country for de Jew. But America is de best country."

I leaned forward about to speak, but the second-hand man silenced me with a gesture as he continued, making up for his lack of knowledge of English with eloquent turns of the hands and sweeping arm movements more expressive than whole clauses of mere words.

"Here I can go where I want to. Perhaps I live in New York, but I can make better living in Chicago. Den I move to Chicago. Perhaps I make better money in Cincinnati. Den I move to Cincinnati. Den maybe I move to Dayton. Can I do that in Russia? No! I must live in one part of country, work in one part of country. Jew cannot go where he wants to. When Czar was boss it was bad. I do not know how it is now. I am shoemaker in Russia. I vant to move to Moscow. I go der. I start business. Tree times I am arrested because I go to Moscow. Here in America I live in Dayton, I live in Cleveland. I go vere I make de best money. No one tell me I cannot go."

Again I leaned forward about to speak. Again he motioned for me to be silent.

"You cannot say anything to me about dis country. Here I am good as President Vilson; I am good as President Harding. I am good as anybody. My little girl, next year she graduate from high school. Maybe she go to university. And she is good as Mr. Rockefeller's girl. Can she go to school like dat in Russia? No! No! Everybody cannot go to gymnasia. Everybody cannot go to university. Here everybody can if he vill work."

"But, tell me," I began.

"Nobody can say anything to me against dis country! Vy do I leave land where my people are? Vy do I leave land vere I speak de language? Because dere I must suffer. I come to New York seven years ago. It was bad vinter. But I work hard, I shovel. Den I drive rag wagon, and I save money. I come to Cincinnati. I start my second-hand store. I buy house. I bring my wife and baby girl here. I buy anoder house. I have five rooms for myself. I put in five rooms of furniture.

"Five rooms! Kitchen, dining-room set, bedroom set, library table, efery-ting! Can I do dat in Russia? No! I go to store in Russia. Dey say, 'How much money you have?' If I have not money I cannot buy.

"In America I go to store. I say, 'I have $10.' I pay $10. Dey move furniture in. Every month I pay. After while furniture is mine. Same way wit clothes. In Russia dey say, 'How much money you got?' In America dey say, 'You got good job? All right.'

"In Russia poor dress poor; rich dress rich. In America you see girl on street car—fur coat, nice shoes, nice hat. You do not know feder she rich or poor. Maybe she have not paid for dem. Nobody knows. Nobody cares. She have dem. Sometime she pay. Dey here.

"In America ve get anything ve vant if ve vork. Of course—I know some people here—dey dumb. Dey vill not vork. Dat dey fault. But dis finest country in de vorld."

Much more the second-hand man told me, concerning business, art, furniture, national relationships, divorce in America, religion and antiques, before we shook hands and said good-bye. I did not sell the wardrobe, but I gained much information, and I hope, a good friend. I wonder if the second-hand man acquired as much respect for me as I did for him.

Secretary of Labor Davis categorically denied rumours recently circulated to the effect that he, in agreement with Congressman Albert Johnson, had endorsed the proposed amendment to the Immigration Act restricting the admission of non-quota immigrants, declaring that he has not been in communication with the Congressman for quite a while. Assistant Secretary of Labor Husband is similarly puzzled by the report and professes entire ignorance of the matter.

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